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CLARKE—September 15, 1940, at Hong Kong, to Rhoda (*née* Arnott), wife of Arthur G. Clarke, Colonial Secretary's Office, Hong Kong, a son.

McPARTLAND—September 15, 1940, at Glen Herbert, Dundrum, to Florence (*née* Boland), wife of F. McPartland, Baltinglass, a son.

DEATHS.

ATKINSON—John Atkinson, late *Leinster Leader*, Naas (accidental drowning), third eldest son of late William and Mary Atkinson. Deeply regretted by sorrowing relatives and friends. R.I.P. Funeral, to St. Corban's Cemetery, Naas, took place, Wednesday, September 18th. American papers please copy.

BURNS—September 19, 1940, at her residence, Drinagh, Mountmellick, Elizabeth, wife of the late Henry Burns. Deeply regretted. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), 2 o'clock (S.T.), to Friends' Burial Ground, Rosenallis.

HEATON—September 18, 1940, at her residence, "The Willows," Athlone, Emily, wife of the late Samuel Heaton, aged 80 years. Funeral to-day (Friday) to Cornamagh, 3 o'clock. No flowers.

McKENNA—September 19, 1940, at her residence, 41 Kenilworth Park, Rathgar, Bridget, widow of the late Dr. Michael Matthews McKenna, 58 Rathgar road. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral (private) to-morrow (Saturday) from Rosary Church, Harold's Cross, after 10 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin.

McMAHON—September 14, 1940, at his residence, 10 Normanton road, South Croydon, Peter V. McMahon, M.I.E.E., late Superintendent of Power, London Underground, husband of Katherine McMahon. R.I.P.

MULLARCHY—September 18, 1940, at the residence of her son-in-law, Derrylamogue, Rosenallis, Maria, widow of the late D. R. Mullarchy, Mountmellick. Funeral leaves at 3.30 (summer time) to-day (Friday) for interment in Mountmellick Churchyard.

O'DONNELL—September 18, 1940, at her residence, 18 Scotch Quarter, Carrickfergus, Anna Maria, dearly-beloved wife of T. O'Donnell, Clerk of Petty Sessions. Funeral from above address to Victoria Cemetery, Carrickfergus, to-day (Friday) at 3 p.m.

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Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and only child, Noelle Anna.

PATTISON—September 19, 1940, Walter, dearly-beloved elder son of Thomas and Lucy Pattison, 30 Terenure Park, Terenure. Funeral arrangements later.

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Saturdays ..... 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Matron can supply well recommended Domestics, experienced and untrained, in all capacities.
31 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.
'Phone: 76555.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

CAN lady recommend experienced HOUSE PARLOURMAID; doctor's house, Fitzwilliam place; little cooking; £28-£30.—N 1438, this office.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

CAPABLE, experienced COOK GENERAL and HOUSE PARLOURMAID WANTED, together or separate, mother and daughter might suit; Killiney. Address, stating wages and enclosing copies of references, "Z 2709, Cook General," this office. 17 F

GOOD COOK GENERAL; small dairy; Drogheda; two maids kept; two in family. Reply, with copies, "Z 2736, Cook," this office.

WANTED, COOK GENERAL for country house; nursery and two nurses; must be early riser. Address "Z 2680, Cook," this office. 16 A

GENERAL SERVANTS WANTED.

BALLSBRIDGE—Young GENERAL, experienced, good cook; family three; good wages; copies references, state age, wages asked.—N 1459, this office. 19 F

EXPERIENCED young GENERAL WANTED, good plain cook.—Craigiea, Temple Gardens, Palmerston road.

GOOD GENERAL; two adults. Apply, with references, 7-9, 36 Templemore avenue, Rathgar.

NOTICE.

IN addressing envelopes covering replies to advertisers in this Paper, great care should be taken to include the catch words, when same are given, after the Office Number, thus: "Z 20, Housemaid," should be carefully written upon the envelope.

WANTED, young GIRL (17), to train as General; country, no bus route.—N 1213, this office. 16 E

WANTED, capable, well recommended GENERAL; family two; city; good plain cooking essential; age 24-30; wage £22-£30; outside help given.—N 1464, this office.

YOUNG, experienced GENERAL, small family, all duties; Clontarf; well recommended.—N 1390, this office. 18 E

YOUNG, L.O. General, Bray; fond of children.—Useful People, 38 Dame street.

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

SUPERIOR Girl, good plain cook, seeks post, Working Housekeeper, one or two adults, or General, small adult family; at present employed; free after week's notice. Address "Z 2698, Girl," this office. 17 F

WORKING Housekeeper, young, experienced; very good references; town, country.—N 1405, this office.

WORKING Housekeeper, R.C., one or two gentlemen or widower with young children; very fond of children, capable of taking entire charge; good references.—Box 640, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire.

"IRISH TIMES"
EMPLOYMENT REGISTRY.
NO FEES CHARGED.
HOURS ..... 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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The Matron has several vacancies on her books for recommended, unemployed, experienced and untrained. Placed immediately.
31 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.
'Phone: 76555.

GENERAL SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A YOUNG General; good papers.—N 1418, this office.

A SETTLED General, small family; recommended.—Catholic Girls' Hostel, Crofton road, Dun Laoghaire. 19 F

EXPERIENCED General; city or suburbs; good references; disengaged.—N 1599, this office.

EXPERIENCED General, shortly disengaged; can be well recommended; south suburbs. Address "Z 2755, General," this office. 19 F

GENERAL requires change of situation; 2 or 3 people; wages £24.—N 1467, this office.

GENERAL, young, experienced; 4 years' reference; Ballsbridge, Sandymount districts.—N 1411, this office.

GENERAL or House Parlourmaid, young, superior; good references; disengaged.—N 1423, this office.

GENERAL seeks place; very good references.—N 1410, this office.

LADY recommends excellent Daily General; Pembroke district; absolutely trustworthy.—70, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagot Street Bridge. 18 A

QUEENLY General or cook; days work; Clontarf, Ivory Strand.—N 1419, this office.

USEFUL Cook; 38 Dame street, can recommend Generals with two years' technical experience, to train; suburbs.

YOUNG General disengaged; seven years last job; under city.—N 1455, this office.

YOUNG General; good references.—N 1415, this office.

YOUNG, experienced General or Cook General; good reference; disengaged.—N 1407, this office.

YOUNG, experienced General; good reference; disengaged; city, suburbs.—N 1413, this office.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

A COOK, £60 (another £45, cyclist); Protestants; 6 R.C.s.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

A COOK General or General; excellent, long references.—N 1417, this office.

COOK General or General; small family; experienced; good references.—N 1350, this office. 18 E

COOK General; lady recommends; small family; Ballsbridge district preferred.—N 1402, this office.

COOK General, thoroughly experienced; city or suburbs; well recommended.—N 1406, this office.

COOK, experienced; take dairy; County Dublin or near; recommended.—N 1414, this office.

EXPERIENCED Cook; excellent papers; town or country; disengaged.—N 1397, this office.

ENGLISH Cook requires situation, would go Cook General; excellent reference.—N 1432, this office. 19 F

SETTLED Cook General or General; city, suburbs; well recommended.—N 1420, this office.

TWO Sisters disengaged, excellent references, Cook General, House Parlourmaid, desire post; wages £40 and £30 yearly.—Mary Owens, Cloney Grange, Ballivor, Co. Meath.

THOROUGHLY experienced Cook; take small dairy; excellent, long references.—N 1421, this office

NURSES DISENGAGED.

CHILDREN'S Nurse, young, trained, experienced, seeks post; Terenure or Ballsbridge preferred.—N 1216, this office. 16 E

EXPERIENCED person, R.C., seeks post, Nurse or Nursery Governess; from France; long references. Address "Z 2688, Nurse," this office. 16 F

YOUNG Girl (Protestant) seeks post as Children's Nurse; well recommended; country preferred. Address "Z 2707, Girl," this office. 17 E

YOUNG Children's Nurse disengaged; good references; city or suburbs.—N 1362, this office. 18 E

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

HEAD Housemaid, Sewing Maid disengaged; Waterford or Cork preferred.—N 1200, this office. 16 E

HOUSE Parlourmaid or Sewingmaid, experienced, young; good references; disengaged.—N 1403, this office.

HOUSEMAID or House Parlourmaid; good references.—N 1409, this office.

HOUSEMAID or General Help; good papers.—N 1408, this office.

LADY recommends country Girl, Housemaid or Ballsbridge district preferred.—608, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 19 B

YOUNG, experienced Housemaid or House Parlourmaid; city, suburbs; recommended.—N 1398, this office.

YOUNG House Parlourmaid, highly recommended, wishes situation with small family; Wicklow or Wexford preferred.—Stasia Greene, Borleigh, Inch, Co. Wexford. 19 F

SPECIFIC ARTICLES.

ALL Waterproof Covers for carts, vans, threshers, lorries; Rick Covers, Sacks, Bags; best terms.—Coleman, 21-25 Chancery street, Dublin. 7

ALL Makes of Rebuilt and Secondhand Typewriters. Guaranteed Repairs and Overhauls.—Flood, 205 Pearse street. 'Phone 72703.

COVERS for ricks, carts, threshers, lorries; Tarpaulins, Sacks.—Petrie Brothers, 36

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

RISE IN SUNBEAM WOLSEY PREF.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS FIRMER

There was a slightly larger volume of business passing on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and the general tone was steady to firm.

Among Home Funds gains and losses were about evenly divided, and British Funds where quoted recorded some small fractional gains. Local Industrials came in for some inquiries, and the cross-Channel section was more cheerful.

Second National Loan dropped one point to 110½, but 4½ p.c. Land Bonds gained 10s. to 108½, as did 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement Loan 7s. 6d. to 101 (small). 3½ p.c. War Loan advanced 3s. 9d. to 100½, and 4 p.c. Funding Loan 5s. to 112½. 2½ p.c. Consols were unchanged at 72⅞ (small).

Dublin Corporation 4 p.c. 1960-85 rose sharply to 94½ (small). Among Banking issues Hibernians repeated 8½ (small).

Guinness Ord. in a small market recovered some lost ground to close 6d. higher at 67s. 6d. Dublin Tram Ord. rose a further 3d. to 9s. 9d., and Alliance and Dublin Gas Ord. were unchanged at 23s.

In the Irish Industrial section Associated Properties Pref. repeated 21s. 3d., and Cement Ord. 32s. after 31s. 10½d. Irish Sugar Pref. marked 24s. 6d., while May Roberts Ord. put on 3d. to 40s. Sunbeam Wolsey were a feature with a further rise of 1s. to 29s.

British Industrials were a more active market than of late, with B.A. Tobacco Ord. 9d. up at 77s. 6d., and Imperials 7½d. better at 95s. 7½d. Coats Ord. and Courtaulds Ord. both moved up to 29s. 1½d. and 27s. 9d., respectively, but Fords and Imperial Chemical Ord. each sagged 1½d. to 15s. and 26s. 1½d. Shell Transport quoted 35s. 6d. and Woolworths 55s.

LONDON EXCHANGE

London Stock Markets closed the day with an irregular appearance, but it was a more normal session than some recently. Most price changes were small and unimportant.

British Funds were favoured and showed small gains. Home Railway prior charges remained dull, and Argentine Rails inclined easier.

Mining shares were quiet, with several small irregular movements. Oils were a shade lower. Rubbers were idle. Industrials displayed some irregularity.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second National Loan (111½) 110½; do. (under £200) (111¼) 110¼; 3½ p.c. Fourth National Loan (97¼) *97¼; 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement Loan (100⅝) *100⅜; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (103⅜) 103⅜; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (108) 108½; do. (under £200) (107¾) 108¼; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (100⅜) 101; Irish Sugar Deb. (100) 101. **BRITISH FUNDS**—2½ p.c. Consols (72⅞) *72⅜; 3½ p.c. War Loan (100¼) 100⅞ 1½; 4 p.c. Funding Loan (112¼) 112½.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 4 p.c. 1960/85 (92) *94½. **BANKS** — Hibernian (81½) *81½. **BREWERIES**—Guinness Ord. (67/-) 67/- *67/6. **RAILS**—Great Southern 4 p.c. Pref. (65½) 65½; Great Western 5 p.c. Rent Charge 101½. **TRAMS**—Dublin United Ord. (9/6) 9/9. **GAS**—Alliance and Dublin Ord. (23/-) 23/- 23/-. **BAKERIES AND MILLING**—Ranks (L) Ord. (15/-) 16/6a.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Armstrong (A.) Ord. (10/1) *10/-; Assoc. Properties Pref. (21/3) 21/3; Cement Ord. (32/-) 31/10½ 32/-; Goulding Pref. (22/6) 23/-c; Irish Sugar Pref. (24/6) 24/6; May Roberts (1) Ord. (39/9) 40/-; Smith and Co. Ord. (17/6) 17/6b 20/-a; Sunbeam Wolsey Pref. (28/-) *29/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — British-American Tobacco Ord. (76/9) 77/6; Coats Ord. (29/-) 29/1½; Courtaulds Ord. (27/3) 27/9; Dunlop Rubber Ord. (27/9) 27/9; Ever Ready (G.B.) Ord. 24/3; Ford Motor Ord. (15/1½) 15/-; Imperial Chemical Indus. Ord. (26/-) 26/1½; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (95/-) 95/7½; Shell Transport Ord. (32/6) 35/6; Woolworth Ord. (56/6) 55/-.

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE

Irish Banks' rate (changed Oct. 26, 1939)... 3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred ... 3½%
Deposits under £2,000 ... 1 %
Deposits of £2,000 and over ... 1½%
The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

OTHER STOCK EXCHANGES

BELFAST—3½ p.c. War Loan, 100⅛, 101⅛, 101⅛; Local Loans 3 p.c., 86; Conversion 3½ p.c., 99⅜; Northern Ireland 3½ p.c., 93½; Northern Bank "A," 54/-; Co. Down Railway Ord., 1½; Henry Campbell Pref., 5½; J. and P. Coats, 29/3; Richard Thomas, 2/4½; Imperial Tobacco, 95/-.

CORK—2nd National Loan, 110½; Financial Agreement Loan, 101; Exchequer Bonds, 103½; Land Bonds, 108½; War Loan, 100½; Great Southern Pref., 64½; ditto Guaranteed, 20½; Cement Ord., 32/-; Courtaulds Ord., 27/9; Guinness Ord., 67/6.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors quiet. Rovers and Standards easier. S.S. Cars better at 3/6. Triplex sagged to 14/9. Alvis 1/9, Austin "A" 13/1½, Dennis 13/-, Enfield 10/3, Ford 15/6, Guy 1/7½, Humber 10/6, Leyland 49/3 Lucas 48/6, Morris 21/9, Napier 4/6, Raleigh 47/1½, Singer 1/3, Standard 11/1½. Small Arms 15/3 Serck Radiator 62/6, Brockhouse 33/-.

MANCHESTER.—Moderate inquiry for Textiles. A few small price advances. Bleachers 2/6 to 2/9, Dyers 2/9 to 3/3, "Slubbers" 3/9 to 4/3, Calicos 4/- to 4/3, Conts 29/3 to 29/9, Courtaulds 27/9 to 28/3, Dunlops 27/9 to 28/3, Cottons 24/6 to 25/6, Velvets 2/6 to 2/9, Spinners 3/- to 3/3, Rearg's 6/3 to 6/9, Turner and Newall 53/6 to 55/-, Wall Paper Def. 14/6 to 15/6.

PREPAID ADVERTISEMENTS

HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

DONNYBROOK—Non-basement House, 5 rooms, garden; newly decorated; £800.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

FORTFIELD Road, Terenure—Two reception rooms, five bed coms, kitchen; garage, large garden front and back.—Waters and Murphy. 19 B

FOR Auction, Thursday next, 26th September, at our Property Saleroom, South Great George's street, at 15 o'clock, 6 new basement two storey Houses, in 3 lots, 20 and 22 St. Joseph's road, with vacant possession; Profit Rent of £84 8/7 out of Nos. 21, 23, 24 and 25 St. Joseph's road.—Full particulars from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Auctioneers. 19 B

FAIRWAYS, Goatstown road; bus passing gate; detached; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, double garage; many unique features. 'Phone 96222.

GROSVENOR square—Spacious House, suitable for conversion into flats, containing 11 rooms, kitchen, h. and c. bath, electric light; ground rent only £5 15/-, price reduced to £1,025. Full particulars of this recommended house from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 17 P

GREYSTONES—34 acres; for Sale, Residence and excellent Farm Land and Building; small cost going; valuable potentialities.—Auctioneers, Jones, Stephen's Green. 19 B

HOWTH road, Raheny—Semi-detached, non-basement House, containing 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, h. and c. bath, electric light, garden, garage; excellent condition; price £950 or near offer Full particulars of this recommended house from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 19 E

HAROLD'S Cross road—Corner House, six rooms, large garden; £1,150.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

INVESTMENTS—Ground, Profit Rents, occupied Houses for Sale.—Allen, Townsend, 11 Stephen's Green.

LEESON Park—Large House; ideal flats, guest house; £1,100.—Allen, Townsend, 11 Stephen's Green. 16 E

MERRION—Detached, charming, granite Cottage Residence; bus line; £525.—Arthur Jones and Son, 10 Stephen's Green. 16 E

MONTROSE, 31 Waverley avenue (off Philipsburgh avenue), Fairview—Well built, red brick, non-basement Residence, conveniently situated; 2 reception rooms, 4 family bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, etc., garage. Furnished Flat. Let at £1 weekly. Vacant possession of entire if required. Auction Wednesday, 25th September, at 2.30 p.m.—Hamilton and Hamilton, 60 Dawson street. 6 I

OWELL road, Rathgar—1931 built Residence of unusual attraction, 1 Braemor Park, 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, large garden, garage, etc. Auction Sale Wednesday, September 25th. Key with Auctioneers, Jackson Stops and McCabe, 55 Kildare street. 8 12

OWELL Park—An extremely well appointed, semi-detached, non-basement House in perfect condition throughout, containing 3 spacious reception rooms, 4 family bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, bright tiled kitchen, with Aga cooker, electric light and well stocked garden; newly built (1938); price £2,250, or near offer. We strongly recommend this residence. Full particulars from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 17 P

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CLOSING PRICES

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Con. Loan 4%	109½	109½
Consols 2½%	73⅛	73⅛
Conversion	100⅛	100⅛
Funding 4%	112¼	113
Local Loans	85½	86½
National Defence	101⅛	100⅞
Do. 3%	101⅛	101⅛
War Loan 3½%	100⅛	101⅛
Do. 3%	100	100
BRITISH RAILS.		
Great Western Railway	28½	28½
L.M.S.	11¼	11¼
L.N.E.	9¼	9¼
Do. Def.	1⅞	1⅞
London Transport "C"	27¼	27¼
Metropolitan	32½	32
Southern Ord.	41	40½
Do. Def.	9¾	9¾
FOREIGN BONDS.		
Austrian 4½%	27	28
Japan 5% 1925	32½	32
FOREIGN RAILS.		
San Paulo 7%	36	36
Buenos Ayres G.S.	4½	4½
Cordoba 1st Def.	60	60
IRON AND STEELS.		
Babcocks	31/9	31/9
Baldwin	4/3	4/3
Bolsover	34/3	34/3
J. Brown	20/9	20/6
Cam Laird	5/4½	5/4½
Colvilfe	16/9	16/9
Wm. Cory	3½	3½
Dorman Long	16/3	16/3
Guest Keen	19/6	19/6
Hadfield	19/6	19/6
Indian Iron	2½	2½
Powell Duffryn	12/3	12/3
Pressed Steel	12/6	12/9
Staveley	38/0	38/0
Stewart and Lloyds	36/6	36/6
South Durham	23/9	23/9
Swan Hunter	25/3	25/3
R. Thomas	2/6	2/6
Tube Invest.	4½	4½
United Steel	17/0	17/3
Vickers	12/7½	12/7½
MOTORS AND AIRCRAFTS.		
Albion Motor	1⅝	1⅝
Austin	13/9	13/9
Houlton and Paul	3/10½	3/10½
Bristol Aero	8/10½	8/10½
Dennis	1	2½
Fairey	11/0	11/0
Ford	15/6	15/4½
Handley Page	13/6	13/6
Hawker Siddeley	9/7½	9/7½
Leyland	9	9⅛
Morris	22/4½	22/6
Raleigh Cycle	2⅛	2⅛
Rolls Royce	3½	3½
Standard	11/0	11/0
T. Tilling	34/6	34/6
BREWERIES AND TOBACCOS.		
Bass	104/6	105/0
Distillers	55/6	56/0
Guinness	68/9	67/6
Ind. Coope	65/9	65/9
Watney	45/0	44/0
B.A.T. Ord.	3¾	3⅝
Gallaher	3½	3½
"Imps."	4⅛	4⅛
TEXTILES.		
Bleachers	2/6	2/6
Bradford Dyers	3/4½	3/4½
Calico Printers	4/1½	4/4½
Courtaulds	27/10½	28/0
Coats	29/3	29/6
English Sew. Ord.	23/9	23/9
Fine Spinners	3/0	3/1½
Lancs. Cotton	16/6	16/6
Paton and Baldwins	2½	2½
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Aerated Bread	6/3	6/3
Assoc. Electric	34/6	34/6
B.S.A.	15/4½	15/4½
Boots Drug	38/3	38/3
Bovril	18/9	18/9
Borax	1⅜	1⅜
British Aluminium	1⅜	1⅜
British Match	28/0	28/0
British Oxygen	2¾	2¾
Burton	7/6	7/6
Cables and W. Pref.	85½	85½
Do. Ord.	50	50
Cromptons	14/0	14/0
Elec. and Musical	6/9	6/9
General Elec.	69/0	69/0
Hudson's Bay	23/0	23/0
Imperial Chemical	26/1½	26/0
Imperial Smelting	8/0	8/0
Int. Tea	10/6	10/6
Johnson and Phillips	40/0	40/0
Lever	20/3	20/6
London Brick	36/6	36/6
Lyons	4	4
Marks and Spencer	35/9	35/3
Pinchin Johnson	18/0	18/1½
Ranks	15/6	15/6
Tate and Lyle	44/9	44/9
Triplex	14/6	14/4½
Turner and Newall	2½	2½
United Molasses	19/0	19/0
Wallpaper	⅛	⅛
Woolworth	56/0	55/0
NEWSPAPERS.		
Allied News	9/0	9/0
Associated News	6/0	6/0
Daily Mail Trust	11/0	11/0
Daily Mirror	6/3	6/3
Sunday Pictorial	12/0	12/0
SHIPPING.		
Court Line	10/7½	10/7½
Cunard	2/3	2/3
Furness Withy	16/10½	16/10½
MINES, OILS, AND RUBBERS.		
Ashanti	2½	2½
Bibiani	16/7½	16/7½
"Chartered"	17/0	17/0
Burma Corp.	17/6	17/6
Central Mining	10	10
Goldfields	1½	1½
Crown	12½	12½
De Beers	3⅛	4
Rand Select.	9/0	9/0
Rhokana	7½	7½
Rio Tinto	7	7
Rolan	12/6	12/0
Sub. Nigel	8	8
Venterspost	1½	1½
W. Reefs	15/7½	15/4½
W. Holdings	8/9	8/6
Mexican Eagle	4/3	4/3
Shell	1⅛	1⅛
Royal Dutch	14/6	14/9
Rubber Trust	25/3	25/3

SUNBEAM WOLSEY TO INCREASE CAPITAL

CREATION OF 50,000 NEW SHARES

An extraordinary general meeting of Sunbeam Wolsey, Ltd., will be held on September 27th to consider a resolution which provides that the capital of the company be increased by the creation of 50,000 new shares of £1 each, to be called 6 per cent. Participating Preference shares. The new Preference shares shall rank both as regards dividends and capital *pari passu* with the existing Preference shares.

The new shares will be offered to holders of the existing Preference and Ordinary shares in the proportion of one share for every three shares held on September 27th, 1940, at the price of 22s. per share, fractions being ignored. The issue of new shares will be underwritten.

In a circular, Mr. William Dwyer, managing director of the company, explains that the object of the new issue is to provide finance for the installation of a combing mill, and then details the reasons why a combing plant was deemed advisable. Proceeding, Mr. Dwyer says:—"A plant for a combing mill can be purchased and delivered within a few months. This plant would comb Irish cross-bred wool, and would make your company independent of supplies in this category for all time. Should this plant be installed, a large increase in the hand-knitting trade is anticipated by your directors, as a hand-knitting yarn made from Irish wool at a very low price could be put on the market."

Sunbeam Wolsey, Ltd., propose to invest the proceeds of the new issue in the Cork Spinning Company for this purpose.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

Aspro, Ltd.—Final on Ordinary 15 per cent. actual, less tax.

Aire Wool Co.—First and final dividend on Ordinary 20 per cent. actual, less tax.

Bank of England—Dividend of 6 per cent., less income tax.

Clayton, Dewandre—Interim 4 per cent., less tax.

John Dickinson—Interim 4 per cent., less tax.

Lancs. Electric Light and Power—Dividend 6d. per share, less tax.

Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co.—Interim dividend on account of the year 30% per cent., less tax, on Ordinary, and 3½ per cent. less tax, on Pref.

South Crofty—Interim 5 per cent., less tax.

Wolverworth Bros.—Interim 4 per cent. actual, less tax.

MESSRS. GANLY AND SONS' SHEEP SALE

Messrs. Ganly and Sons held their sixth weekly sale for the season in the Dublin Cattle Market on Wednesday last, when about 5,000 head of the different classes were forward. With a good attendance of buyers, there was a steady enquiry for all good quality young sheep at about late rates. Ones and secondary descriptions were neglected, and some lots failed to find purchasers. Quotations:—Suffolk cross ewes, 54/- to 61/-; Galway ewes 48/- to 54/-; for best lots, and down to 37/- for secondary; Cheviot and Wicklow mountain ewes, 46/- to 55/-; horny ewes, 26/- to 15/-; best pens of lambs made up to 33/-, with secondary down to 19/-; wethers, 58/- to 50/-; rams and ram lambs, 7 guineas to 4 guineas.

WOOL

BRADFORD—As new issue prices for raw material do not come into operation for export trade in fabrics until next March, the bulk of new business now being doing in yarns is on the basis of the old rates for home trade, which is in excess of current ration.

Charles Garety, of Glassmullagh, Trillick, was admitted to Tyrone County Hospital yesterday suffering from facial injuries received as the result of a collision with a motor van when cycling near his home. Michael O'Kane, Drumquin, was also admitted to the same institution suffering from head injuries, the result of being kicked by a horse.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

DUBLIN (METROPOLITAN).

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Beasts ...	2,823—increase 41	2,851	3,338
Sheep and lambs	5,294—decrease 953	7,073	5,932
Veal calves	6—increase 3	5	11

Supplies of cattle were on the larger side of last Thursday's market. The gathering in point of quality generally embraced an ordinary show, and largely minus of finish and quality. There was a full attendance of buyers in home and shipping interests; but with local victuallers having stocks on hand and the uncertain position across Channel, market was dominated by a cautious and reserved attitude on the part of buyers generally; business for the bulk of cattle, in fact, was only practicable at a further reduction in terms. Generally bargaining was of a tighter nature, with last week's reduced money position scarcely more than tenable for the nicer selections of bullocks. In dealing with heifers, sales throughout proved more difficult to clinch, more especially the lighter weights, some of which were bid for at prices which owners could not entertain, and many lots were turned out unsold. Best bullocks 47/- to 48/6, extra 49/- to 50/-; heifers 46/6 to 48/-, extra 49/- to 49/6; secondary and rougher sorts 44/- to 46/- per cwt. As compared with corresponding market last year, prices show an increase of 6/- to 9/- and 14/- to 15/- per cwt. dearer on same period, 1938. Beef cows also suffered a further set-back; in fact, after the disposal of the nice young heifer types at less money, market presented an almost idle appearance, with large numbers unsold at a late hour, when a clearance seemed out of the question. Bulls not wanted. Best young cows 30/- to 35/-, extra 34/- to 35/-; secondary sorts 24/- to 28/-, others 15/- to 20/- per cwt.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

With a substantial reduction in supplies here this week, numbers on offer were small for season. This, however, failed to correspondingly improve trade. Sheep of choice quality met a fair inquiry inside previous values, but anything short of condition proved much harder to find buyers for, even at the lower rates ruling. Probably due to fast days this week, local butchers were in small want. Shippers also showed a more reserved attitude, as did Northern patrons, whose interests were mainly centred on horny lambs around 23/- per cwt. In the circumstances, market generally closed a poor selling one, with many pens not even bid for. Prime mutton 10d. to 10½d., useful quality 7½d. to 8½d., rougher 5½d. to 6½d. per lb., and lambs 23/- to 43/- per head, according to class

DAIRY CATTLE.

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Beasts ...	291—increase 21	307	290

There was a fair number of dairy beasts offered for sale here this week, but the show in point of quality was again of moderate character. Both local and export buyers continue in search of real good cows and heifers, and where found prices continue to advance. In dealing with secondary or doubtful beasts a more cautious attitude was manifest, but at previous rates a fair clearance was effected. Best cows and heifers £26 to £28, extra £30 to £35; secondary sorts £21 to £23, others £15 to £19 per head.

PIGS.

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Pigs ...	1,035—increase 3	1,022	1,034

Practically the same number of pigs were on offer here this week, with quality, too, about up to last Thursday's level. There was a fair attendance of buyers in pork and bacon interests, but their attitude was again reserved inside previous lower terms. Trade, however, ruled slow throughout, with a weaker undertone, except slips and bonhams, which continue to command firm rates. Prime light-weight porkers 88/- to 90/-, medium bacon 94/- to 96/-, heavier 80/- to 86/-, sows 64/- to 67/- per cwt.; slips and bonhams 25/- to 47/6 each, according to class.

EDINBURGH.—231 store cattle, 58 store sheep, nine milk cows. Fair demand for both cattle and sheep. Black polled bullocks £23 to £30, coloured polled bullocks £23 10/- to £29, black polled stirks £19 to £22, coloured polled stirks to £20, half-bred gimmers 80/- to 90/-, Cheviot ewes 38/- to 46/-, best cows £30 to £42, others £35 to £35.

BRISTOL.—There were 186 fresh Irish cattle and 50 English. Prices asked were on the down grade. Three-year-olds £22 to £24, two-year-olds £20 to £22, dairy heifers £15 10/- to £18. Shorter supply of milch cattle. Best made to £26, others £20 to £22.

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GRAIN.

THE BALTIC.—A dull tone continues, and late rates were reported. The following are f.o.b. quotations:—No. 1 Northern Manitoba (St. John) first half February 33/4½, last half February 33/6, No. 2 ditto first half February 32/6, last half February 32/7½, Australian (bulk) September-October 26/9, (bags), 28/3. Rosafe new crop January 23/- per 480lb. MAIZE steady, but slow. Plate October 31/10½, No. 2 white flat, African (bulk) September-October 17/1, No. 3, also No. 5 ditto, 16/9. No. 6 yellow round ditto 17/3 per 480lb. BARLEY neglected. Plate 64-65 kilos September-October 12/- per 400lb. No. 1 Australian Chevalier September-October 29/6, No. 2 ditto 28/- per 448lb.

It is announced that the Baltic Exchange will henceforth be closed at 3 p.m., and will not open on Saturdays, until further notice.

LIVERPOOL.—Requirements of the trade were filled by the Port Area Grain Committee at official rates, carriage and haulage being delivered by firms distributing. WHEAT steadily held 14/6 per cwt. on farm, with a fair demand reported. MAIZE still firm at £10 per ton, and in good request. FLOUR moved off at 25/9 for straight-run delivered, and imported 25/9 to 26/- per sack (including bags). OATS steady and fairly active at 14/6 per cwt. for feeding and milling. PEAS in very small compass at 20/3 per cwt., quoted for imported. Wheatfeeds again firm at 8/7½ per cwt. for bran and thirds, with little available. BARLEY steady at 15/3 per cwt. for imported, and 16/9 meal. Wheat and maize futures controlled.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH—Supplies continue small, total arrivals being 210 boxes from one trawler, 6 packages salmon, 9 boxes lobsters, 29 boxes herrings, 10 boxes mackerel, and a small amount from country and local senders. Demand brisk at high prices, especially white soles, which reached the record level of 10/6/- to 12/7/-, pollock white 10/6/- to 11/1/-, hake 10/0/- to 12/0/-, cod 10/0/- to 12/5/-, codling 6/0/- to 9/0/-, plaice 8/0/- to 10/6/-, dabs 1/4/- to 4/0/-, whiting 2/6/- to 7/0/-, haddock 9/1/-, conger eels 1/5/- to 5/2/-, gurnard 1/5/- to 3/0/-, ray 2/3/- to 4/9/-, monk fish 6/8/- to 7/3/-, prawns 14/- to 17/6, herrings 4/0/- to 5/1/-, mackerel (very small) 12/6 to 17/6 box, salmon 2/- to 2/6, soles black 1/- to 3/-, turbot 1/2 to 2/1, brill 6d. to 2/- per lb., and lobsters 6/- to 22/6 per 13.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE—Cabbage more plentiful and cheaper. Other classes in fair supply and satisfactorily placed at—Cauliflowers 3/6 to 5/-, seconds 1/2 to 1/4; lettuce 6d. to 10d. doz., York cabbage large 4/0 to 4/6, small 2/6 to 3/- load; swedes 2/- to 2/6 per cwt., beet 9d. to 1/- doz. bundles, turnips 4d. to 6d. bunch, carrots 7/- to 14/-, parsnips 7/- to 8/6, peas 11/- to 13/- bag, sprouts 4/- to 4/6, parsley 6d., tomatoes 6/- to 8/-, damsons 4/-, blackberries 3/-, plums 2/- to 3/- chip, and mushrooms 2/6 per lb.

DUBLIN POTATO—Supplies offering more freely, with sales fair at 8/6 to 6/- per cwt. for best table classes.

GRIMSBY FISH—Small haddocks (heads on) 12/- to 13/-, medium (head on) 13/- to 14/-, jumbos (heads on) 13/- to 14/-, large sprags (heads on) 12/- to 14/-, smoked haddocks 20/-, smoked fillets 18/6, kippers 8/9 per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—COCOA—Accra G/F spot 35/- in bond; Trinidad, first marks 68/- to 76/-; Grenada 58/- to 60/-; Ceylon, good to fine 60/- to 70/- per cwt. RICE firm. Burma two stars September-October 15/6, Siam one star 13/-, super 16/6 per cwt. f.o.b. Spice steady. Black Lampong spot in bond quoted 3¾d., white Muntok ditto sellers 4¼d. white Java 5½d. Cloves—Zanzibar, also Madagascar, spot 9¼d.; Pimento spot 11¼d. per lb. Ginger—African spot 39/-. Sago—Sarawak small pearl September-October sellers 22/-; ditto flour quoted 15/-; desiccated fine cut spot sellers 42/-, medium 40/- per cwt. Hemp—Manilla X grade £22 10/- to £25 per ton c.i.f. Sisal—African No. 1 £36/-, No. 2 £32/-, No. 3 £24 per ton, c.i.f. Shellac—Fair T.N. spot 80/-, A/C garnet ditto 92/6, pure button 102/6, fine orange 105/- to 150/- per cwt. RUBBER dull and featureless. Sheet spot sold 11¼d., September buyers 11¼d., October sold 11¼d., November buyers 11¼d., January-March 11¾d., April-June 11¾d.; fine hard Para spot sellers 1/- per lb.

OILS—The following are selling prices for material allocated to the primary wholesalers and large trade consumers:—Linseed—Raw £44. Rape—Crude £44 5/-, Cottonseed—Crude £31 9/6 washed £34 5/-, refined £35 10/6, deodorised £36 10/-. Soya bean—Crude £36, refined £37. Groundnut—Crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £31 7/6, refined hardened £36 17/6. Palm Kernel—Crude £27 10/-, refined deodorised £30 15/-, hardened £35 5/-. Castor—Firsts £57, second £55. Whale—Crude £30 10/- to £31 10/-, refined deodorised £33 to £35 10/- per ton net, naked ex mill or works. Palm oil, c.i.f., bulk £17 5/-, loan drums £18 5/-, returnable casks £18 15/-. Turpentine—American spot 54/- per cwt. Rosin—American ranged from 25/- to 30/-, as to grade, per cwt. OILSEEDS—Markets quiet. The following are approximate shipping indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurance:—Linseed — Calcutta September-October £16 5/-, Bombay ditto £16 15/-, Plate September £15 ..., Groundnuts—Coromandel September-October £14 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—Cocoa dull. Coffee quietly steady. Rice steady, trading restricted. Rubber—Para steady, but idle. Hard fine spot nominally 1/3½, forward 1/1, soft fine forward 1/1, plantation—no quotation available. Resin quietly steady on spot. Turps steady. Petroleum quiet. Lard—American refined boxes steady, 69/-.

FAT CATTLE PRICES IN DUBLIN

Average price, per cwt. live-weight, of fat cattle, fat sheep and fat lambs in Dublin Market yesterday:—

	FAT CATTLE. Sept. 19.	Sept. 12.	Sept. 5.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1940	46 6	49 3	49 —
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1939	40 9	40 0	40 6
1938	32 9	32 9	33 3
	FAT SHEEP. Sept. 19.	Sept. 12.	Sept. 5.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1940	47 —	48 —	48 3
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1939	39 5	39 6	39 3
1938	33 3	33 0	33 0
	FAT LAMBS. Sept. 19.	Sept. 12.	Sept. 5.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1940	56 9	56 9	57 0
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1939	49 3	49 3	49 6
1938	37 6	40 3	38 6

WALL STREET IRREGULAR

BUYERS HESITANT AFTER RECENT ADVANCE

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Thursday

With buyers hesitant after the recent sustained advance the Stock market was erratic, but the majority rose fractionally. The turnover of 470,000 shares comprised 695 issues, of which 295 advanced and 206 declined.

The opening was steady, and with the news background viewed as encouraging a creeping advance was resumed. Minor gains predominated in quiet and indecisive trading, but the undertone was nervous, with the Steels and Motors receding slightly. Aircrafts were steady. The Steel group was supported in the afternoon. No. 1 heavy melting scrap at Chicago has been advanced 25 cents. Aircraft and Chemical shares were steady, but Motors were inclined to be soft. Coppers were aided by a heavy consumer demand for the metal. Scrap copper has been advanced one-eighth of a cent. Rail issues were steady. Utilities and Oils were narrow. Merchandising shares were supported.

The market turned erratic under realising by day-to-day traders, and the final list was mostly minor fractions either way.

The closing trend was irregular.

Sterling exchange opened ¼c. higher at $4.04, but finally improved and closed unchanged, compared with the previous close at $4.03⅝.

Silver was unchanged at 34½c.

	Thur. 1%	Wed 1%
Call Money	—	—
London Cables	—	4.03⅝
Montreal Cables	—	4.85⅛

Parity	STOCKS	Closing Bid Thur	Wed
5⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	4⅛	4⅛
47/16	Canadian Pacific	3⅝	3⅝
70½	Louisville and Nashville	56⅝	56¾
17⅜	N.Y. Central	14¼	14¼
265⅜	Norfolk and W. Common	214⅜	215¼
26⅛	Pennsylvania	21¾	21¾
16⅜	Reading	13½	13⅞
11⅛	Southern Pacific	9	9
15⅝	Southern Railway	12¼	12⅝
102¼	Union Pacific	82½	83¼
	INDUSTRIALS.		
196⅛	Allied Chemical	157½	157
—	American Locomotive	—	—
—	American Metal	—	—
110¼	American Can	90¼	90½
49⅛	American Smelting	39⅝	39⅝
200⅛	American Tel. and Tel.	162	163
26¼	Anaconda Copper	21⅝	21⅝
—	Auburn Auto	—	—
94⅜	Bethlehem Steel	76½	76
—	Case (J. L.)	40	40
96⅛	Chrysler Corp.	77⅞	77½
163½	Eastman Kodak	132	133¼
42⅛	General Electric	34¼	34½
59⅜	General Motors	48⅛	48¼
33⅜	International Nickel	27¼	27¾
2⅜	Do. Tel and Tel.	2¼	2⅜
35⅞	Kennecott Corp.	28⅝	28⅞
5⅛	Radio Corporation	4¾	4⅝
10⅝	Shell Union	8⅝	8¾
27⅜	U.S. Rubber	22½	23
70½	U.S. Steel Common	56⅞	56⅞
148⅝	Do. Preferred	120	119
40¾	Woolworth	32⅞	32⅞
—	Silver Com. Bars	34¾	34¾
4⅜	Brazilian Traction	3¾	3¾
8⅛	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	7	7⅛
—	Hydro. Electric	—	—
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treasury 3¼% '46-56	—	—
24⅜	7% German External Loan	19½	19¼

† Ex dividend.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Exg. Equiv.		Closing Bid Thur	Wed.
17¼	Bell Tel. (Canada)	15⅜	15⅜
5¼	Brazilian T.L. and P.	5⅛	5⅛
30⅞	B.C. Power "A"	27¼	27
1⅝	Do. "B"	1.25	1.25
9⅜	Canadian Car and F.	8⅜	8⅜
21¼	Do. Preferred	19	19
34⅛	Canadian Celanese Com.	31	31
—	Do. Pref.	—	125
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MR. W. T. COSGRAVE, T.D., ON VISIT TO ENNIS

Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D., is on a visit to the Bishop of Killaloe (the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty) at Ennis.

Safe Way Found to Whiten Teeth Within 7 Days

Dental scientists have at last discovered a way for every man and woman to transform even dingiest teeth to dazzling, perfect brilliance. A way that is fast, that is safe, yet costs only a few pence.

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MEMBER OF DEFENCE FORCES

BEFORE SPECIAL CRIMINAL COURT

PLEADED NOT GUILTY AND ACQUITTED

JOHN DANIEL O'SULLIVAN, a member of the Defence Forces, appeared before the Special Criminal Court at Collins Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, charged with the unlawful possession of ten rounds of .303 ammunition at Fort Berehaven on June 17 last, with intent to enable another person or persons to endanger life or cause injury to property, and with possession of the ammunition without a firearm certificate.

O'Sullivan pleaded not guilty and was defended by Mr. J. ... O'Connor, solicitor.

Mr. O. Moriarty, K.C., who (instructed by Mr. J. A. Geary, Chief State Solicitor's office) prosecuted, said that on June 17, after the last parade at 4.30 p.m., O'Sullivan gave a parcel addressed to a person called O'Shea at Clasheen Tralee, to a Volunteer and asked him to post it. As this Volunteer was going towards the post office with a comrade he felt the parcel and, considering it to be heavy, the two of them returned to the Fort, where, in the presence of others, they opened it and found that it contained a light rain-proof and ten rounds of .303 ammunition in two clips. The took out the ammunition and remaking the parcel posted it on to the address. In the meantime the Volunteer who had been asked to post the parcel put the ammunition into his locker, and on the following day it was handed over to another man, who, in turn, gave it to the commander of the guard.

A Volunteer gave evidence of O'Sullivan handing him a parcel addressed to a man named O'Shea at Clasheen, Tralee, and a shilling, and asking him to post it. Being suspicious of its weight, witness and another Volunteer opened the parcel in the presence of several others and discovered the ammunition. Witness remade the parcel after removing the ammunition and posted it. He then put the ten rounds in his locker, and on the following day handed it over to another Volunteer.

In reply to Mr. O'Connor, witness said he didn't report the finding of the ammunition immediately, as he was confused and didn't know what to do with it.

A Volunteer corporal, a Volunteer, and a gunner of the Regular Army gave evidence of seeing the ammunition in the clips taken from the parcel.

Evidence was given that the ammunition was handed over to the Guard Commander at the Fort on the evening of the 18th June, and by him to other authorities until it reached the Court that day.

DENIAL OF CHARGES

O'Sullivan said that he joined the Volunteers about November 13 last. He borrowed the raincoat found in the parcel from John O'Shea, Glasheen, Tralee, who was a relative, when returning to the Fort. On June 17 he parcelled the coat up and gave it to a Volunteer to post. He did not put any ammunition in the parcel. At no time had he any ammunition other than the fifty rounds with which he had been issued.

A Volunteer said that he shared a locker with O'Sullivan over a period of three weeks, and during that time he never saw any ammunition in O'Sullivan's possession other than that which he was authorised to have. On June 17 he saw O'Sullivan parcel up a raincoat, quite openly, and while several other Volunteers were standing nearby. Witness actually had tried the coat on before it was parcelled up.

After a short adjournment the Court returned a verdict of not guilty, the President stating that as there was some doubt in the minds of the members of the Court O'Sullivan must get the benefit of it.

REMANDED ON ADDITIONAL CHARGES

Before the Special Criminal Court at Collins Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, Thomas Hunt, address not stated, was charged with having in his possession on August 22 at premises occupied by him in Gloucester street, Dublin, incriminating documents and with membership of an illegal organisation.

When the case was called Mr. J. A. Geary (Chief State Solicitor's Office) said that the accused had previously been remanded until to-morrow (Friday) before that Court on certain specific charges and before the Military Court on a more serious charge. In the circumstances he asked for a further remand on the present charges.

Hunt was accordingly remanded until September 27.

DANCES IN LICENSED PREMISES

PARISH COUNCIL RECOMMENDATIONS INVITED

If the Legislature wanted to include a provision in regard to dances on licensed premises it would have done so. If Parish Councils had come to any conclusion in the matter he would be more or less bound to act on their recommendations.

District Justice Gleeson, at Lisdoonvarna, made those remarks when the Rev. Father Larkin, C.C., said he objected to "commercialised" dances being held in licensed premises.

Superintendent Buggy said he had no objection to the applications for licences, as all the dances had been well conducted during the season.

The Justice granted the licences and said he would allow extra dances for the Local Security Force.

SEQUEL TO A BORDER DANCE

SIX MONTHS FOR ASSAULTING A GIRL

This girl is a credit to her sex and to her family, said District Justice Goff at Dundalk when he commended Miss Mary McFadden (20 years) after her evidence against Laurence Rafferty, of Annies, Kilcurry, who was found guilty of assault of the girl coming from a dance at Skullhill Hall, Kilcurry, just on the Northern Ireland border.

The Justice said he hoped that girls generally would show the same courage and determination that Miss McFadden had done and he was sending Rafferty to Mountjoy for six months.

Mr. H. C. McGahon, solicitor for Rafferty —That is the maximum penalty you could impose.

Justice—Yes, and if I could give him more I certainly would, because he richly deserves it.

Notice of appeal was given.

UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES

The total number on the live register of unemployed on September 14th last was 62,695, of whom 52,424 were men. The number showed an increase, the figure for September 7th being 61,635 (51,521 men), and that for August 31st being 61,543 (51,171 men).

TOOK PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY'S OVERCOAT

Charged with the larceny of an overcoat, the property of Mr. Patrick Smith, Parliamentary Secretary to An Taoiseach, Seamus O'Byrne, a corporal in the military police, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

Mr. Smith said that his coat had been taken from his office in Government Buildings.

O'Byrne, who pleaded guilty, was represented by Mr. Herman Good, solicitor. Detective-Sergeant J. Kennedy prosecuted.

The subtle shade of Cedarwood Rose is offset by an inset waistband of Dusky Turquoise in a dress with fully-draped pockets.

FLOWER AND FRUIT SHOW

FINE DISPLAY AT MILLS HALL

MANY SPECIAL PRIZES AWARDED

THE Royal Horticultural Society held its 26th Private Show for members in Mills' Hall yesterday. This Show was an additional one to the number of those held in previous years, in order to provide facilities for the exhibition of fruit and flowers in season at this time of the year.

There were over 200 entries, with the result that extra accommodation was needed.

Excellent specimens of fruit were exhibited, and the flowers were well up to standard.

In the non-competitive section a silver medal was awarded to Lady Moore for a collection of colchicums, and a similar award was given to the Howth Demesne Gardens for herbaceous and shrub flowers.

Cultural certificates were given to Sir Frederick Moore, Mrs. Clibborn Hill and Mrs. Merrick Lloyd for other exhibits.

Mr. D. R. Pack Beresford was awarded the Society's silver medal for the best exhibit in the Show—namely, an arrangement of berried shrubs and coloured foliage.

THE AWARDS

The following awards were made in the competitive classes:—

Michaelmas Daisies (large flowered), 3 Vases—1st, Mrs. H. L. Jacob, Carrickbyrn, Foxrock; 2nd, Mrs. Vaughan Hart, Walterstand, Stillorgan; 3rd, D. R. Pack Beresford, Fenagh House, Bagenalstown; very highly commended, Mrs. Musters, The Old House, Milltown; highly commended, Mrs. Merrick Lloyd, Lonsdale, Blackrock.

Michaelmas Daisies (large flowered), 1 Vase—1st, Mrs. N. D. Anderson, Old House, Marley, Rathfarnham; 2nd, C. Meehan, The Orchards, Palmerston Park; 3rd, Lieut.-Colonel Adye Curran, Dundrum.

Michaelmas Daisies (small flowered), 1 Vase—1st, Mrs. Jacob; 2nd, Mrs. Musters; 3rd, Mrs. Sinton, Lisheens, Templeogue.

Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, 3 Vases—1st, Miss Constance Hamilton, Dunsinea, Castleknock.

Early Flowering Chrysanthemums, 1 Vase—1st, Miss O. H. M. Smyth, Newtown, Drogheda; 2nd, Mr. H. L. Jacob; 3rd, C. Meehan.

Early Flowering Pompon Chrysanthemums, 1 Vase—1st, Mrs. Jacobs; 2nd, Mrs. Musters; 3rd, Lady Moore.

Roses, 1 Vase of three blooms—1st, Rev. Mark Curtis, C.C., Glencullen; 2nd, W. C. Cole, 111 The Rise, Mount Merrion; 3rd, Miss A. O'Toole, 166 Clontarf road.

Roses, one bloom of one variety—1st, Miss O'Toole; 2nd, W. C. Cole.

Dahlias (large-flowered or decorative), 3 vases—1st, Miss Waller, Trinity Hall, Darley road; 2nd, Mrs. Bryan Bourke Roseboro', Naas.

Dahlias (large flowered, paeony or decorative)—1st, C. Meehan; 2nd, Mrs Merrick Lloyd.

Dahlias (small flowered paeony or charm), 3 vases—1st, Miss Waller.

Dahlias (small flowered paeony or charm), 1 vase—1st, Mrs. Scott Moore; 2nd, C. Meehan; 3rd, Mrs. Jacob.

Dahlias (cactus or semi-cactus), 1 bloom—1st, Miss Waller; 2nd, Mrs. Jacob.

Dahlias (pompon), 1 bloom—1st, Miss Waller; 2nd, C. Meehan; 3rd, Mrs. Jacob.

Dahlias (single), 1 vase—1st, Miss Waller; 2nd, Miss O. H. M. Smyth; 3rd, Mrs. Littledale.

Hardy Perennial or Bulbous Plants, 3 vases—1st, D. R. Pack-Beresford; 2nd, C. Meehan; 3rd, Mrs. Vaughan Hart.

Hardy Perrenial or Bulbous Plants, 1 vase—1st, Miss O. H. M. Smyth; 2nd, Mrs. Jacob; 3rd, Miss Hamilton.

Gladiolis (1 vase of 3 spikes)—1st, Mrs. Scott Moore; 2nd, C. Meehan; 3rd, Rev. Mark Curtis, C.C.

Annuals or Biennals, 1 vase—1st, Mrs. Littledale, Atherstone, Temple road, Monkstown; 2nd, Mrs. Clibborn Hill; 3rd, Miss O. H. M. Smyth; very highly commended, Edward Kelly.

Hardy Flowering Shrub, 1 spray—1st, Sir Frederick Moore; 2nd, Mrs. Jacob; 3rd, D. R. Pack Beresford.

Berried Shrubs and Foliage—1st, D. R. Pack-Beresford, Fenagh House, Bagenalstown; 2nd, Lady Moore; 3rd, Mrs. Werner, Farmleigh, Milltown.

Decorative Flowers in Bowl—1st, Mrs. Werner; 2nd, Mrs. Sinton; 3rd, Mrs. Merrick Lloyd; very highly commended, Mrs. Frank Pim, Windgates, Celbridge.

Dessert Apple, Worcester Permain—1st, Mrs. A. D'Olier, Fairy Hill, Bray; 2nd, Mrs. Merrick Lloyd; 3rd, W. H. Howard Cooke, 50 Zion road.

Dessert Apple (any early variety)—1st, Edward Kelly, Rosebank, Dun Laoghaire; 2nd, Mrs. Hamilton, Stramore, Temple road; 3rd, Mrs. A. D'Olier; very highly commended, W. H. Howard Cooke.

Cooking Apple (Grenadier)—1st, C. Meehan; 2nd, Mrs. Smalley, Friarsland, Dundrum.

Cooking Apple (any other variety)—1st, Mrs. Hamilton; 2nd, C. Meehan; 3rd, Lt.-Col. Adye-Curran; highly commended, Mrs. D'Olier and W. L. Richards.

Pears (any early variety)—1st, Edward Kelly; 2nd, D. R. Pack Beresford; 3rd, Mrs. Merrick Lloyd.

Plums (any variety)—1st, Miss Waller; 2nd, Mrs. E. St. George Lefroy, Dundrum; 3rd, W. L. Richards.

SUGAR SMUGGLED FROM EIRE

ATTEMPTED EVASION OF CUSTOMS

At Lisnaskea yesterday Charles and Peter Magee, brothers, Lisnaskea, were each fined £3 for attempting to evade payment of Customs duties on two tons of sugar smuggled from Eire. Peter Magee was also fined 1s. and 23s. costs for aiding in the use of a motor vehicle for the carriage of twenty bags of sugar for reward without the consent of the Road Transport Board. Charles Magee was fined 1s. and 23s. costs for aiding James Carey in the commission of a similar offence.

DUBLIN SHAKESPEARE SOCIETY

There was a good attendance of members at the opening of the 1940-41 season of the Dublin Shakespeare Society, in the Central Hotel, Dublin, last night.

Readings from two of Shakespeare's plays —"The Tempest" and "Richard III."— were given by members.

Amongst those taking part were: Messrs. George Green, Maurice Coffey, Aidan Flanagan, Edward Leeson; Joseph Nolan, Professor J. J. Hogan and Liam Delaney, and the Misses Pam Duncan, Phyllis Murphy, Primrose Forrest, M. Jolley, Marjorie Williams, Barbara Burke and Finola Burke.

I SAW LAST WEEK

School girl's pure wool cashmere gym. stockings, in black or fawn, for 4s. 11d. per pair in a George's street shop—excellent value.

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An apple green wool dress, with yoke shoulders and a swinging pleated skirt, for 21s. in a Grafton street shop—very smart.

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A 50" x 50" white linen tablecloth, with a pretty green border, for 6s. 11d. in an Exchequer street shop—most useful.

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Thirty-inch wide fadeless printed linen, on a cream background, for 2s. 11d. per yard in a Suffolk street shop—greatly reduced.

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An Axminster rug in a modern floral design, size 51" x 27", for 14s. 6d. in an O'Connell street shop—obtainable in a variety of colours.

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A girl's waterproof cape with a hood, in several sizes, for 7s. 11d. in a George's street shop—beautifully made.

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A short-sleeved out-size jumper, in neat ribbed design, for 10s. 11d. in a Grafton street shop—obtainable in grey and rose.

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A big selection of inlaid linoleums in bright colours for 3s. 9d. per square yard, in an O'Connell street shop—very good quality.

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A folding bed tray with a lip edge, for 15s., in a Grafton street shop—very useful.

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58" wide mesh curtain net at 1s. per yard in an Exchequer street shop—unrepeatable bargain.

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A swing style check tweed coat, with large pockets and a polo collar, for seven guineas, in a Grafton street shop—lined throughout.

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Schoolgirls' gloves in tan nappa, with wool linings, for 4s. 11d. per pair in a shop near O'Connell Bridge—very warm.

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AND I FOUND that if **TEA LEAVES** are boiled in a saucepan the odour of fish will quickly be removed.

SPY ANN.

NEW SEASON'S STYLES

New York and Paris are now rivals for the domination of the fashion world, said New York messages received yesterday. Many American fashion designers have been "getting together" with refugee designers from Paris, and hope to play a large part in dictating fashions for the coming season.

Designers remaining in Paris, however, have no intention of remaining idle, and among their new styles for the coming winter are tw ed stockings. Skirts will be worn below the knees, and American observers in Paris say that the new styles are designed for cycling, an indication that there is little petrol available for private motorists in unoccupied France. Women's suits for the winter also have been given unusually large pockets.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Friday, September 20.
IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

At Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion square.

Before Mr. Grove-White, at 11 o'clock—Cooke (S. 15348), discharge rulings. At 12 o'clock—Jefferson (S. 6509), discharge rulings.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

PRISON FOR CATTLE STEALING

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

A sentence of one month was imposed on Eugene Sheils (36), married of Lower Buckingham street, Dublin, who pleaded guilty to stealing three heifers, valued at £56, the property of Richard Barnwell, The Leas, Swords.

Sheils was found offering the cattle for sale in the Dublin market.

Mr. D. O'Donovan (Chief State Solicitor's office) prosecuted, and Mr. F. Connolly, solicitor, defended.

SOLDIER CHARGED WITH ROBBERY

Martin Robinson, a private in the National Army, was remanded until Monday next on a charge of breaking and entering "Alberta Lodge," Barnhill road, Dalkey, and with stealing money and jewellery on August 31st.

Last Monday a girl named Mary Murphy had appeared on the same charge, but informations were refused in the case. Yesterday she said, in evidence, that on August 31st she had met Robinson on Barnhill road. He entered "Alberta Lodge," and about half an hour later came out with some jewellery. He gave her seventeen shillings and on the way to the Killiney 'bus stop she said that she was nervous. Robinson then told her that he would get someone else "to prove the *alibi* for him."

In reply to Robinson, she said that her mother had seen them together on the Barnhill road. She denied that her evidence was lies.

Evidence was also given that a wallet, three watches—one of which was gold; two silver match boxes and some money had been taken from "Alberta Lodge."

DUNDALK SHOW OPENS

ENTRY AS BIG AS LAST YEAR

CATTLE AND POULTRY AWARDS

FROM OUR REPORTER.

DUNDALK, Thursday

DUNDALK Show opened to-day and will be continued to-morrow, when the principal part of the proceedings will be the judging of the horse classes. The entries were about the same as last year, numbering 1,700. The more important heavy classes showed slight increases. Over 250 classes were dealt with to-day, only a small proportion of them being for live stock, apart from poultry and birds.

CATTLE

Shorthorn Cow—1, E. P. Meegan, Ardee; 2, B. McGuinness, Dundalk; 3, P. F. McAuley, Drogheda.

Shorthorn Heifer, calved after August, 1938—1, P. F. McAuley; 2, B. McGuinness; 3, J. McGuinness, Kilcroney.

Shorthorn Heifer, calved after August, 1937—1 and 2, P. McArdle, Faughart; 3, E. P. Meegan.

Shorthorn Bull—1, J. McGuinness's Kilkea Gilly; 2, J. W. Jennings, Rostrevor—Magheramore Mickey Free.

A.A. Bull—1, T. Crilly, Castlebellingham.

Hereford Bull—1, E. P. Meegan's Supelad; 2, R. Kieran, Dunleer—Ardkill Lifebuoy.

Shorthorn Bull Calf—1, B. McGuinness; 2, P. Kerley, Readypenny; 3, Miss J. Montgomery, Dulcek.

Shorthorn Heifer Calf—1 and 2, J. McGuinness; 3, B. McGuinness.

Best Fat Beast—1, J. Goodman, Dundalk; 2, T. Crilly, jun., Castlebellingham.

Dairy Cow—1, M. V. McKeviti, Dundalk; 2, Major R. E. Barrow, Milestown; 3, St. Joseph's Orphanage, Dundalk.

Dairy Heifer—1, J. McGuinness; 2, P. Clarke, Drogheda; 3, M. B. Allen, Drogheda.

Yearling—1, P. Clarke; 2, E. P. Meegan; 3, M. McNamee, Balregan.

Two-year-old Heifer or Bullock—1, J. Goodman.

Cow (Cow Testing Scheme)—North Louth—1 and 2, J. Clarke, Dundalk; 3, St. Joseph's Orphanage, Dundalk. South Louth—1, P. F. McAuley; 2, Major Barrow; 3, M. B. Allen.

Heifer (Cow Testing Scheme)—1, P. F. McAuley; 2, M. B. Allen.

Non-Pedigree Heifer (Cow Testing Scheme)—1, J. Murphy, Rea Cow; 2, Major Barrow; 3, J. Clarke.

Non-Pedigree Heifer, 1938-1939 — 1, Mrs. J. McGuinness, Kilcroney; 2, T. Clarke.

SHEEP AND PIGS

Suffolk Ram—1, R. A. Kelly, Greyacre; 2, J. Sandys, Ardee.

Leicester Ram—1, J. Sandys.

The Lanham Cup for best Boar—Major Barrow.

First prize winners in the other classes were as follows—

POULTRY

Mrs. M. Tomlinson, Blackrock (6 classes); Mrs. McDonnell, Tankardstock (2); Mrs. J. J. Smith, Bettystown; Miss B. Grant, Kilcurry (2); Mrs. Butterly, Dunleer; Major Barrow (5); Mrs. C. Clarke, Ardee, and T. Kelly, Dunleer.

Eggs—Mrs. McArdle, Big Ash, and Mrs. A. T. Thompson, Ballymascanlon.

Pigeons—M. O'Farrell (2); B. McKeown (2) and G. H. Burlingham (2), all of Dundalk.

Birds—W. Keating (4), B. Taft, W. Parkin, G. Twibill (2), J. Clarke, and J. McCooey, all of Dundalk; and J. Duffy, Mullaharlin.

FLOWERS AND FRUIT

Cut Flowers—Major Barrow, Castlebellingham (4 classes); P. J. Buttargly M.O., Castlebellingham; Woods' Nurseries, Dundalk (2); D. Plunkett, Ballymascanlon; Bective House, Navan; Captain C. H. O'Reilly, Knockabbey (4); E. Rawson, Dundalk; Mrs. S. R. McClintock, Drogheda; Miss B. E. Harty, Dundalk, and Mrs. Leake Coleman, Ballybarrack.

Plants in Pots—Mrs. Coleman and Major Barrow (2).

Children's Section—Miss K. Ferguson, Faughart; Rose McArdle, Big Ash; P. Murphy, Dundalk; and T. Kinch, Dundalk.

Fruit and Garden Produce—Mrs. S. R. McClintock, Drogheda (6); Captain O'Reilly (3); Major Barrow (3); R. F. McClintock, Ardee (3); Patrick Murphy, Dundalk (3); M. Begley, Dundalk (2); Sisters of Mercy, Dundalk (2); Woods' Nurseries, Dundalk; Mt. Oliver Convent, Mt. Pleasant; E. McGeough, Lisnawilly, and F. McPartland, Carlingford.

Cottagers' and Smallholders' Section—A. Smyth, Castlebellingham (3) and P. Murphy, Dundalk (2).

FARM PRODUCE

Mrs. McClintick (2); D. O'Neill, Forkhill (2); H. McElwain, Balregan; P. McEneggart, Knockbridge; F. McArdle, Rampark; J. Meegan, Inniskeen (2); J. McGuiness, Kilcroney (2); J. P. Kearney, Carlingford (2); A. J. Jeffars, Castlebellingham; E. Armstrong, Carlingford (2); A. McCooey, Knockbridge.

Butter—Fresh Salt—1, Miss K. Coleman, Kilkerley; 2, Miss K. O'Reilly, Kilsaran; 3, Miss M. McGuinness, Kilcroney. Keeping Butter—1, Miss K. O'Reilly; 2, Miss Rose Goodman, Inniskeen; 3, Miss B. Larkin, Donaghmore.

Bread and Cakes—Mrs. Rose Devlin, Dundalk (4); Mrs. Ross, Dundalk; Miss McDermott, Blackrock; Mrs. D. Morris, Carrickmacross; Mrs. Ward, Dundalk; Mrs. Somerville, Proleek; Miss N. O'Neill, Dundalk; Mrs. B. Henry, Bellurgan Park; Mrs. B. McGuiness, Dromiskin; Mrs. P. Quigley, Dundalk; Miss E. Richardstone; Miss E. Williams, Dundalk; Miss M. O'Neill, Carrickasticken; Mrs. L. V. Feehan, Blackrock; Miss A. Duffy, Dundalk; Mrs. B. McDowell, Mullaharlin, Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Dundalk; Mrs. T. F. McGahon, Duncalk, and Miss A. Larrissy, Dundalk.

Honey—Mrs. C. F. Barrow, Milestown.

Preserves—Miss N. O'Neill, Dundalk; Mrs. M. J. McWilliams, Dundalk; Mrs. O'Farrell, Dundalk; Miss S. Larkin, do.; Mrs. P. Ward, Dundalk; Miss E. McGuiness, Kilcroney; Mrs. E. P. Matthews, Dundalk; Mrs. N. J. McGahon, Dundalk; Miss A. Larrissey, Dundalk; Miss K. McEneggart, Knockbridge; Miss E. Welch, Dundalk, and Miss S. O'Hanlon Dundalk.

ART AND CRAFTS

Needlework—Mrs. B. Russell, Castlebellingham (2), and Miss M. Donaghy, Ardee.

Lace and Crochet—Mrs. A. Quinn, Dundalk; Miss M. Donaghy, Tallanstown (2); Miss N. McKeown, Dundalk, and Miss M. J. Rooney, Drogheda.

Hosiery—Miss E. Hughes, Merrion square, Dublin (3), and Miss C. McGeough, Dundalk.

Homecrafts—Mrs. Hynes, Dundalk; Miss R. Fleming, Dundalk; Miss E. Geodman, Inniskeen; Mrs. Smyth, Dundalk; Miss W. Whelehan, Dundalk, and Miss M. Carroll, Rivertown.

Children's Classes—St. Joseph's School, Dundalk (2), and Miss A. Masterson, Darver.

Art—T. O'Hagan, Dundalk; M. O Searcaigh, Dundalk; Miss M. Ni Rogain, Dundalk; Miss N. O'Neill, Dundalk; E. Patton, Dundalk; M. O'Connell, Dundalk; J. N. McDonnell, Kilsaran; Mrs. C. F. Barrow, Milestown; T. J. White, Dundalk; J. Marley, Louth; T. Bellew, Dunleer; J. McArdle, Faughart; L. Keenan, Faughart; D. Mullahony, Dundalk; J. Smith, Tallanstown; J. Mathews, Dundalk; T. P. McDevitt, Dundalk; J. C. Walsh, Castlebellingham; Dr. N. J. McGahon, Dundalk; D. L. McQuillan, Dundalk, and F. J. Fergus, Dundalk.

JUMPING

Jumping (Confined)—1, Master J. Cox, Mountbatille—Little Toes; 2, Major Hume Dudgeon, Booterstown—Clune; 3, J. A. McGranaghan, Clontarf—Diana.

Open Hurdle Competition—1, Major Hume Dudgeon, Booterstown—Sea Point; 2, Miss Mary McDowell, Sutton—Marcelbert; tie for third between Miss Maeve Kiernan, Dromod—Fox Trot, and Major Hume Dudgeon—Clune.

Open Competition—1, Miss Maeve Kiernan, M.H., Dromod—Fox Trot; second and third divided between Master J. Cox—Little Toes, and Major Hume Dudgeon, with Clune.

Children's Jumping Competition—1, Miss Iris Kellett, Ballsborough—M.D.; 2, Master H. McGuinness, Dundalk—Lassie; 3, Miss Iris Kellett—Red Riding Hood.

TYRONE FARMERS DEMAND INCREASED PRICES

Omagh Farmers' Union has passed resolutions protesting against the prices fixed for 1940 crops, and stating that unless they were substantially increased immediately they could not carry out the Compulsory Tillage Order for 1941; calling upon the Government to withdraw the hours and half-holiday clauses in the Agricultural Wages Order, and allow farmers to revert to the practice hitherto prevailing in Northern Ireland, and requesting members to refuse to keep weekly time sheets of labourers.

G.S.R. "ALL-IN" TOURS

For the final tours of the season arranged for Sunday, September 29th, the G.S.R. Company have selected Kylemore Abbey, Connemara, and Gougane Barra, Co. Cork. Tours include rail, motor drive and two meals (breakfast or lunch) and meat tea. Kylemore Abbey tour is *via* the Maam valley and returning *via* Letterfrack. Gougane Barra tour is *via* Macroom, Inchigeela and Ballingeary.

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ROAD WORKERS' PAY

CORK CO. COUNCIL TO CONSIDER LEGAL ACTION

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Thursday.

The recent Order forbidding increases to road workers was criticised at Cork County Council to-day and a committee was formed to examine the possibilities of testing in the courts the legality of the Minister's intimation that grants would not be paid unless the conditions of the circular were observed.

The Secretary reported that the provisional grant allocated for main roads for the county was £32,360, which was £1,597 more than last year, and equivalent to 40 per cent. of the Council's allocation of £80,902. He then read the Minister's letter adverting to the Council's recent decision to increase road workers' wages by 2s. 7d. a week.

The Minister stated that the terms of his circular must be adhered to (wages not to exceed those ruling on September 1st, 1939), and a certificate from the County Surveyor that the Minister's instructions were being obeyed would be necessary before grants were paid.

Mr. T. J. Murphy T.D., moved that a committee be appointed to examine the position with a view to testing the Minister's order in the law courts. The order, he said, purported to be for the purpose of stabilising the cost of living and road workers were being treated as civil servants. It was very doubtful if the Department could withhold the grants.

The Chairman (Mr. D. L. O'Gorman) said they could not have two rates of pay in the county—one for main roads for which grants were obtained and a higher rate for other work. It would lead to difficulties in bookkeeping and to fraud. He suggested that before taking any action they might first ascertain the rates paid in other counties. The Minister's action in this matter was extremely shabby. Men who increased their own salaries should be the last to cut down the earnings of poor men.

Mr. M. J. Corry, T.D., said the Council unanimously gave this increase of 2s. 7d., which was less than the increase of 3s. which the Minister for Agriculture insisted on for farm labourers. The Minister's action was very unfair.

IRISH RED CROSS

NEW BRANCHES IN CO. LONGFORD

Branches of the Irish Red Cross have been established in the following County Longford areas:—

Columcille—The Rev. E. MacCormac, P.P., chairman; Mr. M. C. Dodd, secretary; Miss M. Ginty, treasurer.

Colehill—The Rev. P. Barden, C.C., chairman; Miss K. Morris, secretary; the Rev. T. Kearney, C.C., Logan, treasurer.

Killoe—The Rev. J. McGivney, P.P., chairman; Miss A. Quinn, secretary; Miss A. Gormley, treasurer.

Edenmore—Mr. J. W. Reid, chairman; Miss M. E. O'Reilly, secretary; Mrs. Reid, treasurer.

Ballymahon—Dr. C. Kenny, chairman; Mr. F. J. Farrell, solicitor, secretary; the Rev. J. Newman, C.C., treasurer.

Ardagh—The Very Rev. Canon McCabe, P.P., chairman; Mrs. R. Belton, secretary; Miss M. E. Baxter, Killeen, treasurer.

Mullinalaghta—Mrs. P. O'Reilly, chairman; Miss U. McCormack, secretary; the Rev. P. Murtagh, C.C., treasurer.

Ballinalee—The Rev. E. Boylan, C.C., chairman; Mr. P. J. Greene, secretary; Mr. P. J. Heraty, treasurer.

Newtownforbes—The Right Hon. the Earl of Granard, K.P., chairman; Miss L. Loughnane, secretary; the Countess of Granard, treasurer.

Mostrim (Edgeworthstown)—Mrs. R. Tuite, chairman; Mrs. K. Fitzgerald, secretary; Mrs. Tindall, treasurer.

Granard—The Very Rev. D. Canon O'Kane, P.P., V.F., chairman; Mr. L. J. McGrath, secretary; Mr. E. Kelly, treasurer.

APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Dun Laoghaire Irish Red Cross branch has issued an appeal for volunteers under their blood transfusion scheme.

MUINTIR NA TIRE MEETING POSTPONED

The Dublin Auxiliary Guild, Muintir na Tire, announces that the public meeting which was to have been held to-night has been postponed until Thursday, 10th October, in the Round Room, Mansion House, Dublin.

The Mansion House will be occupied to-night by the A.R.P. Organisation.

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MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.

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JEAN ARTHUR, MELVYN DOUGLAS, FRED MacMURRAY,
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SHOWING AT 2.38, 4.56, 7.14 and 9.32.

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Jean Cagney and Robert Paige in "FIGHTING BLOOD." At 2.45, 5.5, 7.25, 9.45. Also Gene Autry in 'ROVIN' TUMBLEWEEDS." At 3.54, 6.14, 8.34.

THEATRE DE LUXE.
DUBLIN'S SUPER CINEMA...3.30 TO 11.0 P.M.
Laurence Olivier, Joan Fontaine in "REBECCA."
With Reginald Denny, George Sanders.
At 3.50, 6.20, 8.50.

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At 2.46, 5.3, 7.20, 9.37.

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1940's Sensational New Star!
LINDA DARNELL,
ANN SOTHERN, JAMES ELLISON, JOYCE COMPTON, LYNN LARI, JOHN HALLIDAY, in
"HOTEL FOR WOMEN."
At 2.45, 5.0, 7.20, 9.25.

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WALT DISNEY'S
"PINOCCHIO."
SHOWING at 2.47, 5.1, 7.15, 9.29.
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ASTOR.
TO-DAY at 2.5 4 o'c., 5.55, 7.50, 9.45.
THIRD GIGANTIC WEEK:
SPENCER TRACY, in "THE OTHER HALF."

CARLTON BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
THREE GREAT SHOWS IN ONE! !
TONY MARTIN, ERIC BLORE, RITA HAYWORTH.
"MUSIC IN MY HEART,"
SHOWING at 2.0, 4.35, 7.0 and 9.45.
Also Bruce Cabot in "CRIMES END."
On the Stage—3 Times Daily:
SHOWING at 4.15, 6.50 and 9.20.
BILLY GERRARD AND HIS 12 STAR BAND.
MELODY MAKERS' CONTEST at 9.15 p.m.;
Saturday at 4.15 and 9.15.

THE GREEN. TO-DAY, at 2.30, 4.50, 7.10, 9.30.
VICTOR McLAGLAN, JACKIE COOPER.
"THE BIG GUY."
Also "CHIP OF THE FLYING U."

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. Con. 3.0 to 10.30 p.m.
CAROLE LOMBARD, BRIAN AHERNE, in A. J. Cronin's
"VIGIL IN THE NIGHT."
Showing at 3.40, 6.20 and 8.55 p.m.

REGENT, SPENCER TRACY, BLACKROCK. in SYLVIA SIDNEY, "PUBLIC."

ADELPHI SHOWING AT 2.18, 4.30, 6.42, 8.54.
A LOVE TRIANGLE THE SCREEN HAS NEVER SEEN BEFORE.
MADELEINE CARROLL, BRIAN AHERNE, LOUIS HAYWARD, IN
"MY SON, MY SON!"
SUNDAY BOOKING FROM 2 P.M. TO-DAY.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

MUINNTIR NA TIRE
DUBLIN AUXILIARY GUILD.
POSTPONEMENT OF PUBLIC MEETING.
In order to facilitate the A.R.P. Authorities, the Meeting arranged for Friday, 20th September, has been Postponed. It will be held in the ROUND ROOM, MANSION HOUSE, on THURSDAY, 10th OCTOBER, at 8 p.m.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, LOWER LEESON STREET.
A HEALING SERVICE,
With Laying-on of Hands and Address, Will be Held
THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK.

A CHARITY SERMON
Will be Preached in the
PRO-CATHEDRAL, MARLBOROUGH STREET,
By the REV. J. E. McGRATH, O.Carm.,
and in
ST. AGATHA'S, NORTH WILLIAM STREET,
By the REV. FR. ANTONINE, O.F.M.,
At the 12 o'clock Mass,
On SUNDAY NEXT, 22nd SEPT., 1940,
In aid of the Magdalen Asylum and Monastery of Our Lady of Charity of Refuge, Lower Gloucester street, Dublin.
The Holy Mass, Prayers and Sacrifices of the Sisters and Poor Penitents ascend daily to the Throne of God for all who contribute towards the upkeep of the Refuge.
Contributions from those who cannot attend will be most gratefully received by the Rev. Mother at the Monastery.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
(Department of Agriculture).
EXPORT OF FAT CATTLE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.
Notification has been received from the British Ministry of Food to the effect that until further notice the Ministry will be obliged to restrict to 2,000 each week purchases of fat cattle from Eire at centres in Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Exporters of fat cattle should be prepared to make other arrangements for the sale of cattle not accepted by the Ministry of Food.
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture,
19th September, 1940.
3/B. 298. W.H.Co.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
(Department of Agriculture).
EXPORT OF SHEEP TO THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.
Notice is hereby given that having regard to the limitation required by the British Ministry of Food on the importation to Great Britain and Northern Ireland of Sheep from Eire, the Minister for Agriculture has made an Order under the Agricultural Products (Regulation of Export) Acts, 1933 and 1935, prohibiting the export of sheep except under permit. The Order will be in operation on Saturday, the 21st instant.
Permits will be issued on or before Saturday, the 28th instant, to exporters who have been regularly engaged in the trade. Such permits will be available only for exports made on or after Monday, the 30th instant. It is not necessary for exporters to apply for permits.
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
19th September, 1940.
3/B. 298. W.H.Co.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS — FORESTRY DIVISION.
SALE OF BUILDING FOR DEMOLITION.
There is available for Sale on the State Forest Lands at Killakee, Co. Dublin, the Materials and Fittings of Killakee House. The Material includes Windows, Doors and Door Jambs, Fireplaces and Accessories, Kitchen and Bathroom Fittings, and the Materials of the Building itself. The Buildings, etc., will be sold as a whole, and will be demolished by the purchaser. The Building and its contents may be seen at any time by arrangement with Mr. M. Dooley, Hell Fire Club, Killakee, Rathfarnham, Dublin.
Offers should be addressed to The Secretary, Department of Lands, Forestry Division, 88 Merrion Square, Dublin. They should be marked "Tender, Killakee House," and reach the above address not later than the 28th September, 1940.
The Department does not undertake to accept the highest or any tender.
3/B. 291. W.H.Co.

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The Irish Times

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1940.

War in the Desert

While the German *Luftwaffe* continues to shower high explosive bombs on London and other cities in Great Britain, public attention is beginning to focus itself on Italy's offensive against Egypt. Ever since the war in Abyssinia the Italians have been making preparations for this campaign. They have stored large stocks of war material not only in Libya, but also in Ethiopia; and, although the activities of the British Navy must be hampering them seriously in their communications, Marshal Graziani, the Italian Commander-in-Chief, has taken the field with substantial advantages. His object is, in the first place, to occupy Egypt, and then to take possession of the Mediterranean end of the Suez Canal. Egypt is an independent country, with a military alliance with Great Britain, and the Italian Government has taken pains to insist that it has no quarrel of any kind with the Egyptians. Its quarrel is with the British Empire, which it describes as a predatory Power; and, if and when the British shall have been driven out of Egypt and the Sudan, a new era of national freedom for the Egyptian people will begin. The Egyptians, needless to say, have no desire to become embroiled in the war; but they are remaining faithful to their obligations. They will resist the Italian advance from Libya, and, while their forces are not particularly strong or well equipped, they probably will give a fairly good account of themselves. The brunt of the fighting will fall upon the British, who are operating at great distances from their bases, and, consequently, are at a serious disadvantage. British troops cannot fight without adequate supplies of water, whereas, in a report to Signor Mussolini, Marshal Graziani announces that, in spite of a temperature of 122 degrees Fahrenheit, the Italian troops during the last week have been existing on a water ration of one litre a day. Since the British outposts were withdrawn from Salloum, the Italians seem to have been advancing fairly steadily along the coast road. According to Marshal Graziani's report, Libyan troops have marched as much as 150 miles in eight days without noticeable signs of fatigue, and, in co-operation with Italian levies, have gained possession of Sidi Barrani. The Marshal declares that the British garrison resisted "bitterly"; but, as a result of a sudden change of plan by the Italians, it was taken completely by surprise. Outmanœuvred and outwitted, the British were forced to retreat in the direction of Mersa Matruh, losing more than half their mechanised vehicles in the process. The British reports tell a somewhat different story, or, rather, they confine themselves to the statement that the Italians have been consolidating their positions in the Sidi Barrani district. Evidently, the British High Command has decided to offer slight resistance to the Italian advance from Libya, which already has reached a point some 360 miles from the Italian base at Benghazi, and to concentrate its main effort on the defence of Alexandria. The Italians claim to have used two thousand motorised vehicles in their advance; but the *terrain* is becoming increasingly difficult, and Marshal Graziani is fully alive to the dangers that beset him.

It is only natural that the Italians should seek to make the most of their advance through the desert; but the campaign has just begun, and the British have little to learn about desert fighting. On land the Italians probably enjoy a big superiority both in numbers and in equipment; but there are two other elements to be considered. Without regular reinforcements and supplies from the Italian mainland, Marshal Graziani, however brilliant may be his *coups de main*, will find himself in a highly awkward position; and the British seem to be doing everything in their power to harass his long lines of communication. On sea, and in the air, the British are more than able to hold their own. Their naval units have been bombarding not only Italy's sea base at Benghazi, but also the coast road that leads from Libya into Egypt; and naval bombardment with guns of heavy calibre can be thoroughly unpleasant, particularly for native troops. Furthermore, the British Air Force has been attacking Italian sources of supply in the Dodecanese, and has been harrying Marshal Graziani's advancing columns "according to plan." When Herr von Ribbentrop met Signor Mussolini yesterday, he probably was presented with Marshal Graziani's reports; but much water will be likely to flow down the Tiber before the Italian flag flies over the Suez Canal. The blunt fact is that, even if the Italians should drive the British troops out of Egypt and the Sudan, their territorial gains will be of small avail unless they can drive the British Fleet from the Mediterranean. Even in that event, by virtue of their control of the Red Sea and of Gibraltar, the British would retain their commanding position. From the point of view of national prestige, the British cannot afford to make a present of an easy victory to Signor Mussolini. For that reason, they probably will put up a stiff fight for Alexandria and the Canal; but it must be remembered that, when all has been said and done, their principal concern at the moment is with the possibility of a German invasion of Great Britain. In the face of this threat to British security, all other issues are of minor importance. The British Government has realised from the beginning that efforts might be made to divert attention from the major theatre of war, in order to disperse the British war effort. Every man and woman in Great Britain knows that the very existence of the British people is at stake, and that a successful invasion would bring about the immediate collapse of the British Empire. While, therefore, Egypt will be defended, and Gibraltar will be held as long as possible, Mr. Winston Churchill and his advisers will not be likely to lose sight of the fact that the war will be won and lost not in Egypt, nor in the Red Sea, but inside the four shores of Great Britain. If the British can repel Germany's fiercest air attacks, and if they can stave off a German invasion, a situation will be created in which the fate of other parts of the British Empire will be of only temporary importance. Single-handed, Great Britain is fighting two of the mightiest Powers in the world. In the circumstances, her primary concern must be her own safety.

National Service

For almost a year past this newspaper has been urging the Government to take serious stock of what the position of the country was likely to be in the conditions of a European war. Severe dislocation of industry was inevitable. Supplies were certain to be held up or restricted, and in many cases not available at all. Prices were bound to soar above all reckoning, and the first outcome of the new situation in Europe, so far as the twenty-six counties were concerned, was bound to be an immediate increase in the figures of unemployment. What the country has needed most, if its internal life and well-being were to continue in any kind of normal fashion, was some sort of coalition of national effort, with the whole force of the country directed to one end: to keep its head above water, so to speak, and to maintain some form of decent livelihood and comfort for its people until the storm had subsided. The new Unemployment (Relief Works) Bill, 1940, the text of which was issued yesterday, is the first real effort that has been made to check the rising problem of unemployment; and it comes not a day too soon. In the early months of the war there was much enthusiastic talk about "new national projects" which would be undertaken for the general improvement of the country and at the same time to provide work. New roads were to be constructed and old ones to be widened and resurfaced. Rehousing, temporarily at a standstill, was to begin again with renewed vigour. There was talk of a great national drainage scheme. Yet we are to-day, more than a year after the outbreak of war, much as we were twelve months ago—except that unemployment has continued to increase. The blame for most of the delay lies undoubtedly at the door of the local authorities, who, however short-sighted their policy may have been, were loath to embark on such costly schemes of public utility and saddle their ratepayers with still further burdens of taxation. It was ill-advised, in the first instance, to impose problems of such national responsibility upon the backs of the local authorities; and the local authorities, in many cases, have shelved their difficulties by a quiet policy of inaction.

The aim of the new bill is to shake them out of their indecision; to prepare the way for a more vigorous attack upon unemployment, and to expedite the carrying out of large-scale works of utility. There are many people who will regard the Minister's new powers as very drastic; but drastic ills often require drastic cures. One provision gives him power to compel local authorities, under threat of dissolution, to execute works of public utility which, in his opinion, will contribute to the relief of unemployment; and he is empowered to dissolve any recalcitrant body without even the formality of a Government inquiry. On the passing of this bill into legislation the public bodies will be required to set out at once on a programme of public works, which are defined to include such matters as the construction and improvement of roads, sewers and waterways, and any project which tends to improve or protect public health, or improve the public amenities of a district. There are interesting, almost revolutionary, breaches with practice. Local authorities in future, for the sake of efficiency and convenience, may have to spread their schemes out into administrative areas that adjoin their own, and the cost in such cases will be divided between the two areas. The old system which regarded each county or administrative division as a water-tight compartment, having no dealings whatsoever with its neighbours, will be suspended for the duration of the Act. There may be even "united districts" in cases where amalgamation will prove of mutual advantage. We believe that the new bill will do much good. Some strong guiding hand, such as the Minister will be given and empowered to use under the new legislation, is an urgent need at the present time if the country is to tackle its problems in an efficient and effective manner. We hope that the bill is only a forerunner of more similar legislation directed to similar ends.

A Favoured Land

Ireland is regarded as a poor country. Her revealed mineral resources are so sparse that it would be uneconomic to work them on an ambitious scale. Except in the North, the factories and foundries are few in number and wide in distribution. Her cities are without the forests of chimneys, the smoke, the swarming populations and the great areas of mean streets that are, for no convincing reason, supposed to represent "wealth." It may be unsound economically, if excellent æsthetically, to set the richness of nature's glories in this island against the pounds, shillings and pence that are represented in great structures of brick and stone. To the industrial mind, the grandeur of a mountain may mean less than the bulk and boldness of a powerhouse; the serenity of a tree-girt lakeside may be a poor thing when contrasted with the noise and rhythm of a machine shop. The Irish countryside, however, possesses a great deal more than rugged mountains and pretty lakes. We can recommend a run, by train or motor-car, through any three or four counties that happen to be convenient, as a cure for any mental misery that may be due to a contemplation of Ireland's supposed poverty. The traveller will see great herds of cattle, great flocks of sheep, grazing on pasture lands that are the equal of any to be found in the world. In some counties he will see many orchards with the branches of trees heavily weighted with the ripening fruit. He will see fields from which the harvest has been gathered in the last few weeks, and he will see others with the crops still in the ground. He will see great stretches of bogland, with immense stacks of cut turf. From the window of his carriage let him count, if he can, the numbers of horses, cattle, sheep, goats and flocks of poultry that he will see in fifteen minutes. Such a journey as we have suggested, with an accompanying survey of the wealth to be found in the fields and the bogs, should convince the traveller that we possess riches that are more substantial, in their way, than any that man can make. There are food and fuel in plenty for all, and one of the country's problems is to see that each is able to get his share.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	7. 7	7. 9
Sets	7.30	7.27
Lighting-up Time	8.30	8.27

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	2.10	2.41
Evening	2.24	2.54

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	8.48	9. 4
Belfast	1.29	1.51
Cork	8.18	8.33
Cobh	8.15	8.30
Drogheda	1.58	2.12
Dundalk	1.55	2. 9
Galway	8.06	8.23
Kinsale	8.04	8.19
Limerick	9.36	9.53
Sligo	8.48	9. 5
Waterford	9.16	9.31
Westport	8.29	8.44

COURT AND PERSONAL

The King, at Buckingham Palace on Tuesday last, received relations of officers killed on active service, when His Majesty handed to them as next-of-kin the Insignia of Orders and decorations which had been awarded.

The Duke of Marlborough celebrated his forty-third birthday earlier in the week.

Lord Townsend, who was injured in the recent motor accident in which Lord Blythswood was killed, is now making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Lord Berners celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday during the week.

The Hon. Patience French was the guest of Mrs. Dominick More O'Ferrall at Kildangan for the Curragh races.

Mr. Justice O'Bryne and party attended Mr. Carl Clopet's presentation at the Gate Theatre this week.

Lord and Lady Farnham have returned to Farnham Castle from Dublin.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place on December 18th at Killeshin Church, between Alan Douglas Stuart, younger son of the late Donald Stuart McClean and Mrs. McClean, Kellyville, Athy, Co. Kildare, and Gladys Evelyn, fourth daughter of Robert Ruskell and the late Mrs. Ruskell, Cooper Hill, Carlow.

Dr. J. F. Eustace has left 52 Merrion road.

Doctor Catherine Quinn has removed to 14 Lindsay road, Glasnevin.

Switzers announce the arrival of the New Wool Gloves for Ladies and Children. They are available in a great variety of Autumn shades with attractive contrasting designs on Gauntlet. Prices range from 2s. 6d. to 3s. 11d. per pair.

Walpoles, Suffolk street, Dublin, have just received a consignment of the new light Woollen and Tweed Autumn Frocks, many in Matron's size. They are most effective in the new Autumn colourings. A personal inspection is cordially invited.

For her wedding Miss McGrath, Arklow, chose a smart suit of lilac French boucle, with model hat and accessories in fuchsia, by Femina, Ltd.

Her bridesmaid, Miss K. Tyrrell, wore a chic black suit with fox revers and model hat, accessories of emerald green, by Femina, Ltd., 9 Wicklow street.

Next week is Fashion Week at Arnotts. Parades will be held daily in the Café from Tuesday to Friday. Book now to avoid disappointment.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Fashionable Spectacles at Moderate Prices. Pollock and Co., Ltd., 50 Grafton street.

It costs you no more, and you are more than satisfied at Mitchell's Café-Restaurant, Grafton street.

New pouched Model Coat in diagonal wine and green mixture with buckled belt of wine and green kid at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton st.

IRISH AIR LINES.
Among the arrivals were:—Mr. Thomas Burgess, Mr. Munro, Mr. Morton, Mr. E. M. Broad, Dr. Terence Brady, Mr. M. Reilly, Mr. C. Ashworth.
Among the departures were:—Mr. A. M. Reid, Mr. Timaley, Mr. T. P. Gillie, Mr. Denis O'Brien, Mr. E. Frewen.

Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., 26 Stephen's Green, for wide-fitting Shoes.

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ROYAL TOUR OF BOMBED AREAS

LONDONERS' STORIES FOR KING AND QUEEN

Smiles, cheers and stories of heroic rescues greeted the King and Queen yesterday throughout a tour of three districts of London which have received extensive bomb damage, during which the marvellous escapes from death of men and women whose houses had been wrecked by a direct hit led the King to say: "These Anderson shelters are wonderful."

The King and Queen listened with interest while occupants of two unharmed shelters told them the stories of their escapes when the bomb fell only a few yards away.

"I think you are all being wonderful," said the Queen to a knot of people outside the Fulham alleyway where a bomb had fallen.

At Chelsea three A.R.P. workers, Mr. George Pitman, Mr. Wally Capon and Mr. George Woodward, were presented to the King and Queen, whom they told how they had rescued a doctor's daughter, who was buried for four days beneath tons of *debris*.

"You have done absolutely grand work," was the King's comment. Pitman answered: "It's all in a day's work, sir."

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, 20th September, 1915.

Liverpool Munitions Tribunal.

Platers, drillers, smiths and apprentices platers appeared before the Munitions Tribunal at Liverpool yesterday, charged by Messrs. Cammell, Laird and Co. under the Munitions of War Act with "persistently losing time at the Birkenhead works of the company.

Mr. J. W. P. Laird said that in twenty weeks fifteen per cent. of the men employed lost a quarter of their time every day and 10½ per cent. did no work at all. This, he said, represented the loss of over a million and a half hours, which was a full week's work for 30,000 men or, alternatively, the time lost virtually represented a complete shutting down of the whole works for three weeks.

Fines varying from 5s. to £3 were imposed and uproar broke out in the Court, many men having to be removed by the police. Workers held protest meetings outside the Court.

Belfast Mill Fire.

Fire, which caused considerable damage in the Donegall quay mills of Messrs. John Thompson and Sons, Ltd., destroyed much valuable machinery for the manufacture of cattle foods.

ROYAL ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS

EARLY OPENING OF GARDENS ON SUNDAY

The Council held its weekly meeting on Saturday last in the Gardens—the President, Lord HolmPatrick, in the chair. Also present:—Mr. John Bennett, Professor J. Bigger, Captain A. S. Gordon, Mr. Cyril Hardman, Mr. J. E. Hogan, Mr. T. J. Mason, Professor J. Kay Jamieson, Mr. C. B. Moffat, Doctor R. Lloyd Praeger, Mr. George Shackleton, Doctor E. Sheridan, Mr. R. A. Stoney, Mr. Cecil Pim and Doctor J. A. Matson.

It was reported that a cock golden pheasant had been purchased, and an Angora rabbit had been presented by Mrs. Stewart Barrett, Mr. E. H. Bailey presented one pair helmet pigeons, and Mr. G. W. D. Bailey, Skerries, presented one pair Reeves terrapins, one salamander, five green lizards; Mr. Cecil Wright kindly gave three bantam cocks.

The Council decided that all soldiers in uniform were in future to be admitted to the Gardens at half-price on full price days. It was also agreed that in order to enable all coming to Dublin for the All-Ireland Gaelic football final on Sunday next, to visit their Zoological Gardens, to open the Gardens at 11 a.m., and remain open until 8 p.m.

BRITISH BALLOONS OVER SCANDINAVIA

STOCKHOLM, Thursday.

British barrage balloons floating across to Scandinavia are providing Swedish machine-gunners with good practice. Large numbers of these balloons have reached Sweden, and some have passed on over as far as Finland. They are stated to have caused considerable damage, notably to power cables.

The Swedish Air Force has brought down about 80, mostly using ordinary machine guns, although a couple have been exploded by incendiary bullets.—(Press Association War Special.)

LONDON LETTER

BUSINESS AS USUAL IN DOWNING STREET

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
THURSDAY NIGHT.

As the nights grow longer the air raids continue for many hours, and a considerable amount of non-military damage is being caused, particularly in the central and south-eastern areas of London. More great stores were struck, and a school shelter was hit by a time bomb which exploded early this morning. In another place a thousand people were in a deep shelter, but they all marched out to safety. In the West End, in addition to the stores, a shopping centre was bombed, and a famous and beautiful church was destroyed. Two hotels, a cinema and a night club, as well as a famous public hall and two historical buildings, were hit. Both of the latter were destroyed. There were many other important places destroyed or damaged. In South London many working-class homes were completely demolished, and the casualty lists are heavy.

"Worse than Rotterdam"

United States journalists, military *attachés* and correspondents who saw the damage caused by bombs in Warsaw, Barcelona and Madrid agree that London is taking more punishment than any other city—even Rotterdam—during the eleven days of intensive bombardment. This may be so, but the spirit of the people remains unchanged, and London goes on much as usual. It is remarkable to see how everything recovers itself after a night of intensive bombing. Many thousands of people are sleeping in the tubes, on the platforms and shelters, thankful to get a night's rest; others stand all night in public shelters, while in the homes people sleep in cellars and basements in their day clothes. Scarcely anyone goes to bed until the raid is over in the early hours of the morning, when there is usually a period of peace. Clothes are then changed, baths taken, and the general tidying up for the day is carried through. In all this discomfort there are no complaints, everybody recognising the necessity of living a normal life as nearly as possible. It is a really testing time for the individual, but everyone is concerned.

In Downing Street

It is interesting to note in these days of many air raid alarms that work in Downing street continues uninterrupted. There is no change from the normal procedure of the day, even though the alarm is in progress. Everybody is at work in his usual room. The same applies to the members of the Diplomatic Corps. All the members remain in London, going away only for their usual week-end. Some of them watch the night raiding with interest, thus being able to make reports to their respective Governments from the eye-witness's point of view.

Londonderry House

Londonderry House, in Park Lane, the home of the Marquis of Londonderry, has lost all its windows; but, nevertheless, it can be occupied, and Lord Londonderry, in response to an appeal from the Lord Mayor, is offering it for the accommodation of refugees who have lost their homes in the damaged areas. It will accommodate a considerable number of families, and it is especially suitable for this purpose because of its commodious basements, which will provide good shelters. Londonderry House is only one of those placed at the disposal of the authorities by people living in the West End.

American Aircraft

American aircraft of six different types are already in service with the Royal Air Force, and at least six more types are on order. The machines range in type from fighters, known to the Americans as "pursuit ships," to the big Lockheeds which have been mentioned frequently in Air Ministry *communiqués* relating to the multifarious activities of the Coastal Command. The news that the famous Boeing "Flying Fortresses" are to be made available to the R.A.F. is interesting, because their long-range capabilities already have been tested by flights to South America, while their defensive armament is so disposed as to provide an intense fire-power over a wide area.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Scrudoir na Scannan

So my old friend, Jimmie Montgomery, is retiring from the job of Film Censor, which he has filled with such distinction for seventeen years! Jimmie must be a Norman; but he is a Dubliner *pur sang*, and a link with an age when Dublin was Dublin, neither a West British city nor Baile Atha Cliath. It is many years since I first met him in the Bailey, where he used to foregather with a gifted group that included Arthur Griffith, Oliver Gogarty and Seamus O'Sullivan, and many of the best Dublin *mots* that have been attributed from time to time to Tom, Dick and Harry originated in Jimmie Montgomery's fertile mind.

But it would be a great mistake to regard him as a mere phrase-maker, however brilliant. He is a man of keen intelligence and a terrifically hard worker. Few laymen realise the amount of solid work that the Film Censor has had to do since he started in his little office in Molesworth street. The British Board of Film Censors employ Lord Tyrrell—a close kinsman of the late Professor Tyrrell, of Trinity College—and four other examiners to do the work that Jimmie Montgomery has had to do by himself, and the Government will find it pretty difficult to replace him.

I cannot imagine a more thankless job than that of Film Censor, especially in this country; I can imagine no more suitable man to fill it than Jimmie Montgomery.

Local Security

Our Civic Guards and Local Security Groups are on the *qui vive* these days. Ask Mr. William Conor, that distinguished artist from the North country, who is at present on a 'busman's holiday in this part of Eire. He knows—and I am sure he won't mind telling you how he knows—for Willie can enjoy a crack about his own misadventures.

A few of us were playing a round at Delgany recently. We left Willie, with sketch-book and crayons, to the much more satisfying task of picturing the impressive panorama which Delgany golfers can see from the fifth green—if only they have the horse sense to take their eyes off the ball and look.

There was little thrill in our game, but on returning to the club-house we found that Willie was experiencing a thrill over and above those which must be the normal lot of the artist. He was under a mild form of arrest!

We found him sequestered in one of the club rooms under interrogation by representatives of our uniformed and merely badged *vigilantes*.

Willie, it appears, had been sketching Delgany from several angles, in various lights, and during several days. The gifted observer was himself observed, and the question then being resolved was whether Willie was in fact, and was nothing more than what he purported to be.

The Defence

Exhibit one on behalf of the defendant was a number of Delgany landscape sketches, displayed by the artist with that diffidence to be observed in most of his craft when alien eyes regard their unfinished works. I was pleased to see that they were examined with obvious respect and appreciation.

We rallied to the defence. One of our number—himself both C.S. and L.S.F.—suggested that if there was blame on any side it attached to the landscape; for what artist of Mr. Conor's talents could resist the picture presented by Delgany nestling so picturesquely between hills and sea.

The "prisoner" was honourably discharged, and, after exchange of courtesies with our alert guardians, was allowed to join us in another part of that hospitable club.

The Golden Fleece

I discovered yesterday that the Order worn by Micheal MacLiammoir in his *rôle* as Rudolph in "The Masque of Kings," at the Gaiety this week, is actually the original Order of the Golden Fleece, which has been lent to the company by Count Taaffe.

The Golden Fleece was founded in 1430 by Philip the Good of Burgundy. Upon the occasion of his wedding he presented the First Knights of his realm with this Order, "out of his love of chivalry and to protect and propagate the Christian faith."

It represents the Golden Fleece of the legend of Jason and the Argonauts, transposed into Christian symbolism to mean the fleece of Gideon on which the heavenly dew fell. The members, clad in scarlet robes lined with sable, used to hold their meetings in the choirs of various Cathedrals, and at these meetings—at which "all heretics, traitors and cowards before the foe" were excluded—the moral character of each member was scrupulously investigated.

Upon the death of Charles the Fifth of Spain, in the middle of the sixteenth century, the Headship of the Order split, and henceforth it was conferred by the descendants of his sons, Ferdinand of Austria and Philip of Spain.

With the Knights of the Garter it is one of the oldest and highest Orders in Christendom. The only persons at present who could confer the honour are the ex-King Alfonso of Spain and Otto of Hapsburg, pretender to the Austrian throne. Both these monarchs having lost their thrones, the Order may no longer be conferred by them, and it is becoming an increasingly rare sight.

I was rather thrilled to see this great Order returning for a moment to its former glory some nights ago in the Gate Theatre Company's re-creation of the brilliant Hapsburg Court.

Another French Film

Dublin is to be treated next week to still another French film, and in view of the almost universal popularity of "

AIR RAIDS ON LONDON LESS INTENSE

ATTACKS ON COAST REPELLED

GERMAN daylight air attacks on England yesterday were on a smaller scale than usual.

Bombs were dropped on districts in East London, on towns in Essex and Sussex, and at one point in the West of England.

Early in the day three German bombers were shot down on the East coast, and an official report, issued last night, claimed that five in all had been destroyed.

Yesterday it was announced that parts of Somerset House had been closed, and that the staffs were being transferred to the North of England.

The casualties during Wednesday night's raids on London have been provisionally estimated at 93 persons killed and 350 seriously injured.

Wednesday night's bombing is said to have been the severest yet experienced on the Merseyside.

BRITISH COMMUNIQUES

A British Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security *communiqué* last night states:—

"No large-scale air action has been reported during the day.

"Two enemy aircraft have dropped bombs in districts of East London, causing some damage and casualties. Both were engaged by our fighters and one was shot down.

"Bombs are also reported from coastal towns in Essex and Sussex, and at one point in the West of England. The number of casualties was small.

"In spite of bad visibility, our fighters have successfully intercepted a large proportion of the enemy, and five enemy bombers in all have been destroyed."

The British Air Ministry made the following announcement at 3 p.m. yesterday:—

"During this morning our fighters shot down three enemy bombers—two off the South-east coast and one in East Anglia."

LAST NIGHT'S RAID

NEW AVENUE OF APPROACH

When an air-raid warning was sounded last night in London flashes of anti-aircraft fire from the Thames Estuary, the London suburbs and from Kent were seen in Central London. As the people ran for shelter flashes in the distance became intense. A lone German 'plane, very high over a North-west suburb, was engaged by barrage. Converging beams of searchlights sought out the raider, but were baffled by clouds. Distant bursts of gunfire were heard, and from a roof in Central London flashes of gunfire were seen all round. There were many more searchlights than had been used in the past few nights.

Later a number of German 'planes flying singly approached the capital by way of a north-western suburb, some flying fairly low. The raiders seemed to be using a new avenue of approach to Central London. They met with a warm reception from guns in the locality, and Central London's barrage burst into full volume as the raiders drew nearer.

As the German aircraft continued to arrive over North-West London, dozens of searchlights converged upon them. Suddenly the roar of British machines was heard. The searchlights switched off, and British fighters attempted to find the German machines and turn them away from their targets.

Bombs were dropped early in the raid in one district in the northern outskirts, but little damage was done.

DUKE OF KENT'S NARROW ESCAPE

EXPLOSION OF TIME-BOMB

A time-bomb exploded eighty yards from the Duke of Kent yesterday. The Duke was driving round West and South-West London to inspect the damage wrought by bombs, when his car came upon a rope barrier, which bore the notice: "Danger; unexploded bomb."

The driver stopped and waited for the traffic to clear before turning into a side road.

At the same moment the bomb exploded, and stones and earth were showered upon the Duke's car and also covered the road around it.

As soon as the shower had subsided the Duke, smiling and rubbing his ears, got out of the car and walked up the road to see what had happened. Thanks to the precautions taken by the bomb disposal squad, the explosion caused no damage.

SOUTH-EAST COAST

GERMAN 'PLANES SHOT DOWN

A large Dornier bomber, with its crew of four or five, crashed into the sea off the south-east coast yesterday. The raider, obviously crippled, was flying low and presented an easy target. Land machine-guns fired burst after burst, and the raider was seen to plunge into the sea and disappear.

One man appeared to bale out, but when he jumped the Dornier was so near the water that his parachute had not sufficient time to open, and he was drowned.

Several houses were demolished, one man was killed, and three persons were injured when six bombs fell in a residential district of a South-East England coast town yesterday, says the Press Association.

The bombs were dropped by a big machine which dived from the clouds. One bomb fractured a gas main, causing a tongue of flame to shoot up from the crater. A cinema was also damaged.

Shortly afterwards a raider ran into a number of Hurricanes, which engaged it and shot it down into the sea.

Earlier yesterday a German bomber was shot down by a British fighter near a south-east village.

The raider fell in flames, and exploded with a terrific report on hitting the ground. Apparently it was fully loaded with bombs. The 'plane was blown to pieces and all the crew were killed.

A Junkers 88 bomber was shot down by Hurricanes in a park near a South-east town yesterday morning. Sharp bursts of machine-gun fire resulted in the machine catching fire, and it crashed at once, catching a tree in its fall. Two of the crew of four were killed, and the other two were extricated, severely injured. One of them died soon afterwards.

The three bodies were placed in a church on the estate on which the machine fell to await the funeral on Saturday. The injured man was taken to hospital.

POLICE OFFICER'S ESCAPE

A police officer had a narrow escape when a delayed-action bomb exploded outside a South-east town yesterday. The bomb had been dropped during the night by a German raider. A few seconds before the explosion the police officer had been inspecting the crater made by the bomb, and he was only 15 feet away when the explosion occurred. Throwing himself to the ground, he was covered with earth, but escaped without a scratch. Other police officers in the vicinity also threw themselves to the ground, and they, too, were unhurt. The bomb had fallen on common land and no damage was caused.

IN THE PROVINCES

Reports from the provinces last night mentioned German aircraft over towns in the North-west of England, in the Midlands and in the South-east, as well as over Wales and Scotland.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT'S RAIDS

BRITISH OFFICIAL REPORT

The British Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security issued the following *communiqué* yesterday:—

"Attacks upon this country, and particularly upon London, continued during the night. Following the same tactics as of late, the enemy scattered high-explosive bombs blindly on the capital from aircraft which approached singly or in small formations.

"Damage has been done in many districts by high-explosive bombs, often of heavy calibre, but the main subject of these wanton attacks has been small dwelling-houses around Central London and in the suburbs south of the river. Many of the houses have been hit and wholly or partly demolished.

"A number of fires has also been caused by incendiary bombs, but all of these have now been extinguished, or brought under control, as a result of prompt action by householders and A.R.P. *personnel*.

"It is feared from preliminary reports that the number of casualties have been heavy, and it is provisionally estimated that some 90 have been killed and some 350 seriously injured.

"Outside the London area activity was widespread, but, by comparison, slight.

"Bombs were dropped on the Merseyside and on a number of towns in Lancashire. Houses and commercial buildings were hit, and a number of persons were killed and injured.

"The people of Lancashire have met this, the most recent attack upon them, with their characteristic courage and resource.

"Bombs were also dropped in towns in Hertfordshire, Essex, Kent, Berkshire and Sussex, and also in the Midlands, the north-east and south-west. Though damage has been done, there is only a small number of persons killed and injured in these areas.

"Later reports show that in yesterday's air battles 48 enemy aircraft were destroyed, and that we lost twelve aircraft, the pilots of nine being safe."

GERMAN ACCOUNT

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

BERLIN, Thursday.

To-day's German High Command *communiqué* states:—

"Despite difficult weather conditions yesterday, the German air arm again attacked different military objectives in the neighbourhood of London. The dock and harbour installations of Tilbury, the naval dockyard of Chatham, and the big oil dépôt of Port Victoria were effectively bombed. Several oil tanks and a tanker burst into flames.

"During the night the retaliatory flights against London were continued with increased intensity. In successive waves, bombs of the heaviest calibre were dropped on the docks of Silvertown and the Royal Albert Docks, as well as other important targets. In many quarters of the town extensive fires broke out.

"In other parts of England military objectives were successfully attacked, including the harbour installations of Liverpool, the chemical works of Billingham, the Newcastle docks, and aerodromes in the Midlands.

"The mining of harbours in the South of England was continued."

BIG STORE HIT

A popular store which was on the western fringe of London city was hit before dawn yesterday and a hall to the north was damaged by high explosive.

One of the finest halls in London was half-wrecked by a bomb which fell through the roof. Twenty people in the building were uninjured.

Some bodies have been recovered and others are believed to have been buried in the ruins of shops and houses damaged in a south-east area. The chief shopping centre was severely damaged, and the streets were plastered with glass.

On Wednesday night a raider crashed with a full load of bombs in Bermondsey, London, and it is feared that the civilian casualties may be heavy.

Several buildings, including a police station and a Labour Institute, in which was a warden's post, have been demolished and many people are believed to have been buried under the *débris*.

WELL-KNOWN GENERAL KILLED

It was announced last night that Major-General C. J. Bruce Hay and his wife lost their lives when a West End hotel was bombed on Wednesday night. Their bodies were extricated from their wrecked apartments after several hours.

Usually in an air raid Major-General Hay was to be seen assisting the management in looking after the safety and comfort of the other guests. On Wednesday, however, he must have retired to sleep earlier than usual.

Major-General Hay, aged 63, late of the 19th Punjabis and Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides, had a distinguished military career, in the course of which he was awarded the C.M.G. and D.S.O., and he was mentioned five times in despatches while with the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force in the last war. After the war his positions included Inspector-General of the Iraq Army and head of the British Military Mission, Iraq, 1934-37.

SOME DAMAGED BUILDINGS

It was stated yesterday that in the course of recent raids the Inner Temple Library, the Public Record Office, and the courtyard of the British Museum were damaged by bombs.

The Inner Temple Library, a Gothic building, was erected in 1862. It contains over 70,000 volumes, including the Peyt Collection bequeathed by a former Keeper of the Tower of London records. No damage was done to the books, many of them literary treasures, though they were covered with dust. The bomb dug a big crater by the side of the Library Clock Tower, one side of the tower being torn out.

Another place damaged during recent raids was the courtyard of the Wallace Collection.

The store of Messrs. Peter Robinson and the stores of Messrs. Selfridge also have been damaged.

The County Hall, the headquarters of the L.C.C., was struck by a high-explosive bomb during a recent raid.

Lord Croft, Under-Secretary for War, yesterday disclosed that a large number of incendiary bombs had fallen on the Royal Hospital, London. He said that a heavy high explosive also burst at the gateway, but there were no casualties, and the pensioners remained as unshaken as the famous old buildings. Pensioners of over eighty were with difficulty restrained from attempting to assist in putting out fires.

Among the premises demolished in the Oxford street area are the London showrooms and stockrooms of Messrs. Smyth and Co., the Balbriggan, Co. Dublin, hosiery manufacturers. Fortunately no member of the staff was injured, and, owing to war conditions, only a small quantity of stock was stored in the premises.

FIERCE ATTACK ON MERSEYSIDE

While London was the principal object of attack by German raiders during Wednesday night, there were also waves of bombers over the Merseyside district, where more than 100 high explosive bombs, as well as incendiaries, were dropped, and much damage was done to houses and property.

It was the fiercest raid yet experienced by the Merseyside. The places hit included a hospital, nurses' annexe, schools, churches and hotels. In one town a large hospital full of patients had a narrow escape when a heavy-calibre bomb burst a few feet from the main entrance, and not far away a bomb narrowly missed a crowded cinema.

Yesterday rescue workers were searching the *débris* at several points for people who had been trapped underneath.

500 'PLANES A MONTH FOR ENGLAND

U.S. PRODUCTION SPEEDED UP

Aeroplanes are being made available by the United States to Britain at the rate of five hundred a month, according to reports from Washington.

American production, states the report, is being expanded rapidly, and it is anticipated that by February next the figure will have reached one thousand a month. More than eighty per cent of the military aircraft produced will be sent to Britain.

This acceleration of American output follows the news that the greatest bombers in use in America are now available for export, while at the same time new British bombers capable of carrying enormous loads are going into operation in Britain.

A report quoted by the Boston radio states that the German Air Force consists of from eight to twelve thousand 'planes, with about two times that number in reserve. The reserve machines, however, are largely made of old machines and ineffective for fighting purposes. The report also states that, whereas Germany's 'plane losses have mostly consisted of bombers, the British bomber force hardly has been dented.

The German News Agency reported yesterday that during August and the first two weeks of September the British lost 2,000 'planes.

BRITAIN'S CHANCES MUCH BRIGHTER

U.S. WAR SECRETARY'S STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, Thursday.

Mr. Henry L. Stimson, the United States Secretary for War, said to-day that the War Department's advices on the chances of Britain winning the war were much more optimistic now than six weeks ago.

Mr. Stimson made his statement in answer to a question at his Press Conference.

He said that military advices were substantially the same as Press reports on the course of the fighting.—(Associated Press.)

GALLANTRY OF R.A.F.

NORTHERN COMMONS' TRIBUTE

In the Northern House of Commons yesterday afternoon the Speaker (the Right Hon. H. G. H. Mulholland) said, at the request of the House, he had sent the following telegram to Sir Archibald Sinclair, the Minister for Air:—

"At the unanimous request of the House of Commons of Northern Ireland I send this expression of the intense admiration we all feel for the wonderful and magnificent initiative and gallantry of the Royal Air Force."

The Speaker said he had received the following reply from Sir Archibald Sinclair:—

"The tribute of the House of Commons of Northern Ireland to the gallantry and initiative of the Royal Air Force is an encouragement to us all in these stirring and strenuous days. It will be gratefully received by all ranks of the Royal Air Force, to whom I will send it at once."

THE RELIEF OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Government's New Measure

MINISTER'S LARGE POWERS

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

AIMED at preparing the way for a more vigorous attack on the unemployment problem by cutting away unnecessary red tape, the Unemployment (Relief Works) Bill, 1940, the text of which was issued yesterday, seeks to enable local authorities to initiate and expedite the carrying out of large-scale utility works.

A provision of the new bill, which probably will cause some controversy, gives power to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health to compel local authorities, under threat of dissolution, to execute works of public utility, which, in the Minister's opinion, will relieve unemployment.

No local inquiry, as required by the Local Government Act, 1935, need be held before the disobeying local authority is dissolved.

Construction or improvement of roads, sewers or waterways, or work which tends to improve or protect the public health, or to improve public amenities, are all defined in the bill as "work of public utility."

TEMPORARY MEASURE

The bill is not intended to be incorporated in the Statute book as permanent legislation; it will remain in force not longer than two years after the date on which the Emergency Powers Act, 1939, ceases to be in force.

Local authorities are to be empowered to carry out works of public utility in administrative areas adjoining their own. The cost may be borne in full by the executing authority—that is the local authority certified by the Minister to carry out the work—or the authority of the area in which the work is actually being carried out may elect or be required by the Minister to bear portion of the outlay, provided the work done is held to have been for its benefit, except in the case of road improvement, when slightly different provisions will have effect.

Adjoining local authorities are to be entitled to form themselves into a "united district" for the joint carrying out of any work which will prove of benefit to both.

ACQUIRING LAND

The Provisional Order is being abandoned where a local authority requires to acquire land for the carrying out of works specified in the bill. It will be sufficient for the local authority to make, serve and publish a preliminary order specifying the land proposed to be acquired, the owner of which may apply to the Minister within fourteen days, or, in the case of land on which there is an occupied building, within twenty-eight days, to have such order annulled. Provision is made for the payment of compensation for land so acquired.

Where the Minister certifies road construction or improvement as necessary, and where one authority may have jurisdiction over only part of the road, the Minister may transfer powers in relation to the whole road to that authority.

THE PROBLEM IN THE NORTH

CALL FOR A SELECT COMMITTEE

The Prime Minister, replying in the Northern House of Commons yesterday to Mr. Thomas Henderson, who asked if he was prepared to have a conference representing all business men to assist in solving the growing evil of unemployment, said that the Minister of Commerce and he were in constant touch with the principal firms engaged in war work. Othe. establishments were conducted on the ordinary commercial basis, and, he was satisfied, were employing labour to the full extent of their requirements. The business community was well aware of the assistance which could be afforded them through both the Ministries of Commerce and Labour.

Immediate and sympathetic attention would be given to concrete suggestions by individual industrialists for the absorption of surplus labour in the national war effort.

Mr. T. Henderson (Indpt. U.)—Will the Government explain their failure to call these men together, seeing they are willing to give their services?

Mr. Elliott (Unionist)—Has the Prime Minister or the Minister of Commerce ever taken any business man outside Belfast into consultation in dealing with this problem?

Mr. J. Brown (Industries and Farmers)—Will the Prime Minister set up a Select Committee of the House to go into the whole question?

The Speaker—The hon. member must put down another question on that point.

BRITISH IMPORTS FROM EIRE

FURNITURE AND WOOL LICENSED

Wooden furniture and raw wool consigned from Eire will be subject to individual licensing from September 21st, the Board of Trade announced last night in London.

This will not apply to goods despatched to the United Kingdom before September 21st and which are imported before November 21st.

Applications for licences to import raw wool from Eire are to be made in duplicate to the Wool Control, Bradford. Forms of application can be obtained from the Import Licensing Department, Board of Trade, or collectors of H.M. Customs and Excise.

Until further notice no licences will be issued for the importation of furniture.

IRISH MESSAGE TO GENEVA

CONDITIONS ON PRISON SHIP

The headquarters of the Irish Red Cross Society has sent a communication to the International Committee of the Red Cross at Geneva regarding the internment of political suspects by the Northern Government on a prison ship in Strangford Lough.

Manorhamilton sub-branch of the Society, in a resolution drawing attention to the matter, stated that such ships are now subject to air attack.

VISIT TO THE SHIP

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

In connection with allegations made in the Northern Parliament on Tuesday regarding the conditions under which internees live on the prison ship, Sir Dawson Bates, Minister of Home Affairs, yesterday invited the American Consul at Belfast, Mr. John Randolph, and a number of members of the Northern Parliament to the Al Rawdah in Strangford Lough. The party, which consisted of Sir Dawson Bates, Messrs. Wm. Lowry, K.C., M.P.; P. Maxwell, M.P.; R. Byrne, M.P.; J. Beattie, M.P., and the Rev. P. McGouran, Belfast Prison Chaplain, was shown round the vessel, which is heavily protected by machine-guns and barbed wire. They remained on board one and a half hours.

RIBBENTROP IN ROME

Two Hours Talk with Duce

NEW CONSTRUCTION OF EUROPE

SIGNOR MUSSOLINI yesterday afternoon received von Ribbentrop. According to Rome radio the interview lasted from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Count Ciano (Italian Foreign Minister), von Mackensen (German Ambassador in Rome) and Signor Alfieri (Italian Ambassador in Berlin) were present at the interview, which took place at the Palazzo Venezia.

An official communiqué, issued afterwards, merely stated that the talk was "cordial."

GERMAN PARTY WELCOMED

High officials of the German Foreign Office and a number of German journalists were with von Ribbentrop when he arrived in Rome by special train at 11.50 in the morning. He was met by Count Ciano and various Italian military leaders. The Spanish Ambassador, Senor Conde, was also at the station to welcome the German party.

A large crowd lined the route along which von Ribbentrop drove to the Villa Madama, the old palace just outside Rome, where distinguished guests are usually accommodated. The cries of "Duce" and "Fuehrer" were raised as von Ribbentrop passed.

After the interview with the Duce, von Ribbentrop was entertained to dinner by Count Ciano at the Hunting Club.

German soldiers in full service kit who escorted von Ribbentrop to Rome laid a wreath on the Italian unknown soldier's tomb.

While the purpose of von Ribbentrop's visit is at present only a matter of speculation, Rome Radio said yesterday that there was "always very close contact between the Axis Powers whenever a new phase of the war against the common enemy, Britain, is contemplated."

ROME PRESS COMMENT

The visit was widely commented upon in the Italian Press. *Giornale d'Italia* declares it has "no exceptional character," but, "like previous conversations between the Foreign Ministers of the Axis Powers, will bear constructive results."

The newspaper continues:—"A solution of the problems of South-Eastern Europe, national and international repercussions that may provide material for examination on the part of Germany and Italy, and the safeguarding of results obtained in the pacification of this zone of Europe, are all matters for discussion."

"War events may also be examined. The Axis Powers are determined to pursue their action until complete and final victory has been achieved. Nothing—no new factor from whatever quarter it may come—can modify this decision. The Axis Powers can, therefore, now think of the new construction of Europe."

Tribuna declares that as Italy and Germany "intensify the rhythm of the war against Britain," Spain is showing "an even more complete solidarity with the Axis Powers."—(P.A. Foreign Special.)

HOPES IN ROME

SPEEDY VICTORY FOR AXIS

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ROME, Thursday.

Herr von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister, met Mussolini and Count Ciano in the Palazzo Venezia to-night for talks which the Axis hope will bring a speedy victory for them in their campaigns extending from London to Cairo.

The German Foreign Minister arrived here in an armoured train, guarded by anti-aircraft guns, similar to the trains used by both Hitler and Mussolini.—Press Association Foreign Special.

"CAPITAL IMPORTANCE"

Fascist circles speak of the importance of the talks, and describe them as of "capital importance." Von Ribbentrop has arrived fresh from interviews with Senor Rimon Serrano Suner, the Spanish Minister of the Interior, and it is expected that Spain will figure largely in the discussions. The main topics to be discussed, however, are described as common political, economic and military questions. Observers believe that these include the Anglo-American destroyer naval base deal.

There has been considerable speculation here around the possibility of the Axis Powers preparing either a quick blow at Britain or facing a winter campaign in the Mediterranean. If Britain succeeds in warding-off the invasion, foreign observers said, the Mediterranean, from Gibraltar to Suez, might become a major theatre of war. In this case Spain's assistance might be required.

"PROTECTING EUROPE"

Another possible subject of discussion was considered to be the occupation of the whole of France by German and Italian troops. Egypt is another question which is expected to take up a considerable time at the talks. The German Foreign Minister's visit is expected to clarify to what extent, if any, Germany will assist Italy in the Egypt drive. It is known that German troops are ready to go to colonial areas.

Italian spokesmen have been putting out sweeping statements on the problems the Axis means to solve. Among these they indicated were Italy's "unofficial" claims on Greece for territory on behalf of Albania, the situation in Rumania, and claims on Gibraltar.

SPECULATION IN BERLIN

BERLIN, Thursday.

Herr von Ribbentrop's visit to Rome has caused a wave of speculation in the German-controlled Press on the character of a "new order" for Europe, which would not include Britain, but, at the same time, hints are appearing that the war might continue throughout the winter.

The *Lokal Anzeiger* to-day stated: "War is not confined to one geographic point, but it will be pressed everywhere. The Empire is vulnerable. Weather, time and speculation about the approaching winter do not count."

The *National Zeitung* said: "The inevitable collapse of Britain raises questions of a new order for Europe."

An indication of closer links with Spain was interpreted in the announcement that arrangements had been completed for rail traffic between Germany and Spain through France.

Ribbentrop left the Palazzo Venezia at 6.50 p.m. in a car with Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, after a two-hour talk with Mussolini.—(Associated Press.)

RUMANIA SHORT OF RAW MATERIALS

BUCHAREST, Thursday.

Rumania's very serious position in regard to raw materials is admitted to-day by the *Argus*, a leading economic paper. Most textile factories, it is stated, have only a few weeks supply of cotton. There is a severe shortage of leather, scrap iron, copper and lead.

It is understood, the paper adds, that special measures have been taken to prevent what might shortly develop into a grave economic crisis.—(Reuter.)

LIVE-STOCK TRADE HIT

England to Buy Fewer Cattle

EXPORTS REDUCED BY HALF

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

SEVERE restrictions in the export of sheep and fat cattle into England and Northern Ireland, which were announced in Dublin yesterday, have become necessary, it is understood, chiefly because of a temporary surplus of meat in Great Britain.

The surplus has arisen following heavy marketings of home-produced cattle and sheep.

There is, I learn, a likelihood that normal live-stock tradings between this country and the United Kingdom will be restored after some time.

Meantime, the Department of Agriculture announce that purchases by the Ministry of Food of fat cattle from Eire will be restricted to 2,000 a week until further notice. Feeders are strongly urged by the Department here not to market large numbers of fat cattle at present, and, in particular, cattle which are not fully finished should be retained for further feeding.

Exporters are warned that the Ministry of Food will not accept any fat cattle in excess of the number mentioned; they are advised to limit their exports in numbers and to forward only well-finished animals. Cattle consigned as fat, and not acceptable by the Ministry of Food, may be sold as stores.

SHEEP TRADE ALSO

The export of sheep is also to be restricted severely.

Advertisements appearing in the *Irish Times* to-day announce that sheep may not be exported except by permit issued under an Order made by the Minister for Agriculture. The Order will be in operation to-morrow (Saturday). It will not, however, be necessary for exporters to make applications for permits. These will be issued on the basis of exports in the corresponding period of last year, as shown by records available in the Department of Agriculture. Permits will not be available for the export of sheep until Monday, September 30, and until that date all export of sheep is suspended.

Yesterday representatives of the Irish live-stock industry went to the Department of Agriculture, where details of the new trading conditions were explained to them by Mr. D. Twomey, Secretary to the Department. A committee was appointed to draft a scheme which will enable the trade to comply with the new regulations.

The new regulations will reduce fat cattle exports from this country by more than 50 per cent., and the chief sufferers will be the farmers.

FARMER'S POSITION

Leading farmers with whom I discussed the regulations last night claimed that there will be a glut of fat cattle, with a consequent fall in price.

"The big exporter," said one farmer, "will be able to buy his quota cheap on the market, and this will make up for the drop in numbers, but the farmer-producer and the farmer-exporter will be severely hit."

Similiarly there may be a glut in the sheep market owing to the prohibition of exports for over a week.

The deputation to the Department yesterday included:—Messrs. John Murphy, D. McGranaghan, C. D. Crowley, J. J. Counihan, L. Ferris and M. Waldron, representing the National Executive of the Irish Live Stock Trade, and the following independent exporters—Messrs. James Flynn, John Flynn, Patrick Fleming, Isaac Wheelock, Hugh McGovern, Arthur Mullan, James Quinn, Michael Cuddy, E. A. Counihan, Thomas W. Molloy, J. Oliver, Peter Austin, Walter Furlong, John Bruton and Charles Fagan, T.D.

FAT CATTLE PRICES IN BRITAIN

PRESENT RATES TO REMAIN FOR FORTNIGHT

A joint announcement by the British Ministry of Food and the Agricultural Departments states that, in view of the present heavy offerings of fat cattle and the extent of the limitation to be placed upon marketings by the Ministry of Food, the Government have decided to maintain the prices of fat cattle at their present level for the fortnight commencing September 23.

Thereafter in successive fortnights for the animal killing out at 57 per cent. and over the price will be reduced to 63s 6d per live cwt. on October 7, 62s. on October 21, and 61s. on November 4. From that date prices will be at the rates already published.

Corresponding changes will be made in prices for other categories.

ENORMOUS RISKS OF INVASION

SWEDISH MILITARY EXPERT'S VIEWS

STOCKHOLM, Thursday

"The British Air Defence has so far fulfilled its extremely difficult task, being still neither broken nor weakened."

This is the conclusion reached by Colonel Bratt, the Military Correspondent of the *Dagens Nyheter*, in an article to-day analysing the prospects of a German invasion of England.

He further expressed the view that an invasion attempt would be the most venturesome, the most difficult, and the most dangerous task ever known in history, if undertaken before the resistance of Britain's fighting power in the air and her other forces is broken.

Discussing Germany's possible motives in deciding whether to attempt an invasion, he writes: "If Germany wishes to minimise the destruction, then invasion is preferable to unrestricted warfare. Moreover, it is only an invasion that is capable of bringing the war to a speedy close.

"Against this are the enormous risks involved and the possibility of failure, a possibility so great that there is reason to believe Hitler will abstain from it. But, unless the air war is successful, he might be compelled to attempt invasion in order to avoid a lengthy war.

"Though the losses are great, the war severe, and the damage enormous, yet the British air defence has so far fulfilled its extremely difficult task, being still neither broken nor weakened.

"It is not known whether the Germans are capable of increasing the size of the formations engaged, but one German expert declared that they had now reached the top of their effort.

"Only if the Germans succeed in paralysing or severely damaging British industry, including the aircraft industry, and providing the wear and tear of the British Air Force is more rapid than that of her adversaries, can the air offensive be the deciding factor."

NAVAL OFFICER'S BODY WASHED ASHORE

The body of a Naval Reserve officer, which has been identified as that of Sub-Lieutenant Denis Edward Smedley, of 6 Stoneleigh, Surrey, has been washed ashore off Arranmore Island.

ITALIAN ADVANCE HARRIED

British Navy Bombardment

DODECANESE ISLANDS ATTACKED

REPORTS of Royal Air Force attacks on Ben-Ghazi, the Italian sea base in Libya, indicate that reinforcements of men and supplies for Graziani's army may have received a severe check, says the Press Association Military Correspondent.

This port has been used as an advance base, and it is 350 miles east of Tripoli, and better situated to supply both water and fuel.

As Graziani's lines of communication lengthen his problems of supply grow formidable, while his left flank on the sea coast is under the constant attention of the British Navy. Naval units have already attacked, and used their high velocity fire at point-blank range with devastating effect.

The Italians are relying on speed and weight to overcome opposition. They have not yet reached the first real defensive position, nor have they been engaged by other than highly mobile British forces, using guerilla tactics, in the desert.

From the Italian base at Ben-Ghazi to their forward advancing troops is now about 360 miles as the crow flies.

If the R.A.F. continues to harass such a difficult line of communication, in conjunction with naval attacks from the sea, the Army's task in this huge combined operation will be greatly simplified.

Reference to Italian consolidation of new positions in the Egyptian campaign is made in a communiqué issued yesterday from British G.H.Q. at Cairo. It stated:—

"Egypt—No change in the situation. The enemy continues to consolidate his positions in the Sidi Barrani and Sollum areas.

"Other Fronts—Nothing to report."

ISLAND BASES HIT

The R.A.F. in Cairo announced yesterday continuous raids on Italian concentrations in Western Egypt as well as attacks on the Dodecanese Islands and Italian East African objectives. New bombings of Italian motor transport concentrations between Sidi Barrani and Sollum were reported.

The communiqué stated: "Yesterday a highly successful air attack was launched on

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enemy bases in the Dodecanese Islands. At Maritza and Rhodes fires were started, and several explosions, followed by a large fire, were seen at Calato.

"Hangars and barracks and a harbour jetty were hit at Portoalago, in the Bay of Leros. A fuel store was hit and fire spread along the coast.

"All our aircraft returned safely.

"Continuous raids were launched against the enemy from the Western desert. Aircraft were set on fire at Derna, buildings were hit at Tobruk, and a large concentration of motor transport between Sollum and Sidi Barrani was set on fire.

ON THE GROUND

"A successful attack on about fifty transport 'planes on the ground at El Tmimi was made, bombs fell among the aircraft, and severe damage was caused. Raids also were made on Bomba Bardia and a camp in the Fort Capuzzo-Sollm area.

"One of our aircraft is missing.

"Aircraft of the South Africa Air Force raided the aerodrome at Magadiscio for the sixth time on September 17. All bombs were dropped on hangars and buildings, and many fires were started.

"An attack was also made on Lavello, in Abyssinia. One enemy bomber was destroyed, and considerable damage to buildings and hangars resulted.

"Three raids were made by R.A.F. bombers on Kassala. One enemy fighter which attempted to intercept them was damaged.

"Assab and Diredawa were again attacked and fires were observed."

CRUISER HIT CLAIM

The Italian High Command communiqué yesterday said that British naval units started a bombardment of Italian troops in the coastal districts between Bardia and Sidi Barrani. The Italian Air Force intervened and bombed the British ships, forcing them to break off the action and putting them to flight. A 10,000 ton cruiser was hit by a torpedo fired by aircraft and was damaged.

Other units of teh Italian Air Force bombed and machine-gunned British columns and mechanised units which were in flight. Fortifications at Matruh and other military objectives were bombed. The British had carried out an air action against Bomba and some damage and losses had been sustained. Two British aircraft were shot down by Italian fighters, while three others probably were shot down. One British 'plane was shot down by naval anti-aircraft guns.

All the Italian aircraft returned to their base, it was stated.

BOMBARDMENT OF COAST ROAD

REVIEW OF NAVAL ACTION

A British Admiralty communiqué yesterday evening states:—

"An initial report from the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean, indicates that units of the Royal Navy continue to harry the northern flank of the Italian advance from Libya.

"On the night of September 17 one of our naval units bombarded the coast road to Sollum at close range. Simultaneously other units attacked enemy concentrations at Sidi Barrani.

"The C.-in-C. Mediterranean reports that both these bombardments appeared to have had considerable success.

"Ben Ghazi was attacked by aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm on September 16. The C.-in-C. Mediterranean reports that during this attack one merchant ship was set on fire, one destroyer was probably sunk, and several other ships were damaged.

"Wednesday's Italian communiqué admitted that a torpedo boat and a pontoon have been sunk, and a few fires started at Ben Ghazi.

"Concurrently with these operations off the Libyan coast, naval operations have been carried out in other areas. In the course of these operations no enemy naval forces could be located. In the North-Eastern Mediterranean one of our convoys and its escort of warships were several times unsuccessfully attacked by aircraft.

MARSHAL'S REPORT TO MUSSOLINI

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

ROME, Thursday.

"The fighting in North Africa is taking place in a temperature of 122 degrees fahrenheit, but each Italian soldier consumed only about one pint and a half of water a day in the recent operations," says Marshal Graziani, the Italian Commander-in-Chief in North Africa, in a report to Mussolini on the Italian advance to Sidi Barrani quoted by the Official Italian News Agency to-day.

"He adds that he has changed his plan of

operations, and that because the enemy concentrated a motorised section in front of Sidi Barrani he had to make an attack from the left flank direct on the town," the News Agency states.

"The forces of the enemy were thus cut off and had to take a difficult route, where they had no reserves.

"There were two phases in the attack. The first was the occupation of Sollum and Halfaya and advance on Sidi Barrani, which commenced on September 13. This surprised the enemy, who awaited our columns much further south. On the evening of September 14 the enemy was harassed by Libyan troops. Fast columns were then launched against the enemy and occupied Sidi Barrani next day.

"WATER AND PETROL SHORTAGE"

"Following air bombardment, the enemy abandoned much equipment and was soon short of water and petrol. Owing to the nature of the country, such an attack was believed impossible, and the operation was a surprise.

"The enemy resisted bitterly, but was forced to retreat rapidly towards Mersa Matruh, after being outflanked. About 2,000 motorised vehicles took part in the operations in the desert."

LATE NEWS

'PLANE FALLS IN LONDON

A German 'plane was brought down in a South-West London district last night.

A man who was on the spot soon after the 'plane crashed said: "Its fall made a huge crater in the ground and demolished a house. It just missed a hospital building as it fell."

The 'plane blew up either as it fell or when it hit the ground. An A.A. battery is believed to have scored a direct hit, and the raider was finished off by ground defences at a point three miles away from where it crashed.

One person was hurt when the 'plane fell. One of the German crew baled out and was captured.

IN THE NEWS

CAIRO, Friday.

Among prisoners taken by British raiding parties harassing the Italian advance in Egypt were three Italian war correspondents.—(Associated Press.)

SEVENTEEN FINES OF £100

FOR SMUGGLING ON THE BORDER

At Dowra District Court on Thursday the adjourned cases came on for hearing in which seventeen young men were charged with smuggling flour across the border from Northern Ireland.

The smuggling occurred on 27th March last, when Civic Guards and Customs officers intercepted large numbers of young men with donkeys conveying the flour across Cuilcagh Mountains at daybreak. In the course of a mêlée Sergeant Rock, Blacklion, was injured, while other Guards and officials were injured by stones flung by the smugglers. Large quantities of flour were abandoned, and nineteen men were arrested. The military were called out on the occasion.

Charges against two were dismissed at a previous Court, and at the Court in July District Justice Rice ordered the men to pay the medical and other expenses incurred by Sergeant Rock, and took an undertaking, given in open Court, from them that they would not be guilty of such conduct in future. As the State were pressing for a £100 fine against each of the remaining seventeen men the Justice let the case stand over until Thursday to enable the solicitors representing the defendants to communicate with the Revenue Commissioners on the question of reducing the fine demanded.

At the resumed hearing a letter was read from the Revenue Commissioners stating that the mitigation of the penalties could not be considered until they were imposed. They would then receive the earliest consideration of the Commissioners.

District Justice Rice said it was his duty to impose the fine of £100 in each case. He fixed bail to enable appeals to be brought.

LUXEMBURG'S PROTEST

GERMANS CHANGE ADMINISTRATION

A firm declaration that never has the attitude of the Grand Duchess, the Government, or the people of Luxemburg "given the slightest justification for this gross injustice committed by the Reich against a little country wishing to live at peace among its neighbours" is contained in the statement made by the Government of Luxemburg on September 9, the full text of which has now arrived in London. It says that the Grand Duchess and her Government left the country as a protest against the violation by Germany of the assurance given at the outbreak of war to respect the integrity and the neutrality of the territory.

"The measures decreed since May 19 for the administration of the Grand Duchy soon showed the real intentions of the Reich towards this country," continues the statement. "A few days after the invasion the country was declared enemy territory and the military administration was replaced by a Gauleiter, who entered the town of Luxemburg at the head of a force of German police. Little by little the Gauleiter suppressed the use of the French language—for generations the country's official language—and ordered the exclusive use of the German tongue. He declared the Constitution to be abolished and released officials, from their oath of loyalty to the Grand Duchess. He forbade the use of the terms 'Grand Duchy' and 'country of Luxemburg.'"

The Grand Duchess and her Government, the declaration adds, will never recognise the validity of these actions, and expresses confidence of the support of the Luxemburg people in their protest.

SPAIN WANTS "EMPIRE IN EUROPE"

FRENCH GOVERNMENT MAY GO TO PARIS

Neutral observers in Berlin (says an N.B.C. broadcast) are still speculating on the diplomatic activity that surrounds the presence in Berlin of Senor Suner, the Spanish Minister for the Interior, and of Herr von Ribbentrop's visit to Italy. The opinion is that a winter campaign is being planned, the two major objectives being Gibraltar and the Suez Canal.

The only hint of the nature of the Spanish-German negotiations is given in an interview with a German newspaper by Senor Suner, who said: "Spain must also have an Empire in Europe," adding that in the new order in Europe, Spain must regain Gibraltar.

There are also reports in Berlin that the French Government may return to Paris from Vichy by agreement with the German authorities. If this came about the line of demarkation between occupied and unoccupied France would disappear and all France could be used by the Germans for the transport of troops for large scale operations in the Mediterranean.

Damage done by bombs in Berlin is to be repaired immediately, and materials for the purpose may be requisitioned.

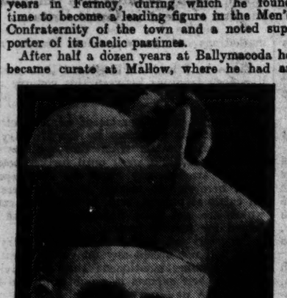
At Newtownstewart Petty Sessions yesterday, before Mr. J. G. H. Long, R.M., William J. Gallagher, Back street, Newtownstewart, was summoned for using a motor car without proper insurance cover, and it was alleged that he had used the car for the purpose of carrying beef. Mr. Long held that, from the moment the beef was loaded into the car, it was being used for conveyance, and imposed a fine of 10s.

BISHOP OF ROSS DEAD

A GREAT CHURCHMAN

We regret to announce that the Most Rev. Dr. Patrick Casey, Bishop of Ross, died at the Palace, Skibbereen, Cork, yesterday morning. He was 67 years of age. Born in 1873 at Ballynoe, Co. Cork, Dr. Casey was educated at St. Colman's College, Fermoy, and subsequently at Maynooth, where he was recognised as an exceptionally able student. At the unusually early age of 23 he was ordained priest in 1896, and two years later became Professor at St. Kieran's College, Kilkenny, where he was recognised as a gifted teacher, a young Professor already making his name as a theologian and a brilliant Gaelic scholar who spoke Irish fluently. Four years later he was back at St. Colman's College, Fermoy, this time as teacher, and his work here was as outstandingly successful as at Kilkenny. The next stage of his career was as curate at Ballymacoda, from which he was transferred in 1912, after ten fruitful years in Fermoy, during which he found time to become a leading figure in the Men's Confraternity of the town and a noted supporter of its Gaelic pastimes.

After half a dozen years at Ballymacoda he became curate at Mallow, where he had as



fellow curate the present Bishop of Cloyne, the Most Rev. Dr. James Roche, who preceded Dr. Casey in later years as Bishop of Ross. In those days at Mallow the two curates, who were destined to become bishops, formed a close friendship, which was maintained for the remainder of their lives. Until 1934 Father Casey, as he then was, ministered in Mallow, and in that year he became parish priest of Newmarket and a Canon of the Chapter of the Diocese of Cloyne.

Evidence of his courage and humanity was afforded in the railway shooting at Mallow in 1921, when not even bullet-swept streets and armed forces prevented him from coming to the aid of his people when relatives presented tragic figures in search of dead and wounded. In Mallow also he did much to establish the Convent of Mercy Order on so sound a basis. His contribution to the splendid modern school built in 1913 was practical and enduring. Since his elevation to the bishopric the lack of educational facilities in Skibbereen occupied his time and thought, and he set to work with an earnestness and devotion that would admit of no set-back until the prospect materialised, and to-day a fine institution stands as a monument to his memory. He made the native tongue his special study, and his work for Irish was vital and efficacious. He was one of the pioneers in focussing public interest on the study and promotion of the language, and at Ballyferrite's Irish College he felt happy when the occasion offered to preach in Irish.

His association with the G.A.A. was an activity in his life that gave him real pleasure, and, as a curate in Fermoy and in Mallow, he revived and stabilised interest in the games, more particularly hurling.

Newmarket benefited by his guidance for only a short year, for in the summer of 1935 it was announced that he had been appointed to the See of Ross. From that period until his death Bishop Casey proved a worthy successor to many illustrious predecessors in the West Cork diocese, which by his death loses a wise and kindly ruler.

Requiem High Mass will be celebrated in St. Mary's Church, Mallow, this morning at half-past ten for the repose of the soul of the deceased bishop.

At Cork County Council yesterday tributes were paid to the late Most Rev. Dr. Casey, and a vote of sympathy was adopted on the motion of Mr. S. J. Kingston, seconded by Mr. M. Sheehy.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY

Among telegrams of sympathy received yesterday were from: His Excellency the Most Rev. Dr. Paschal Robinson, Papal Nuncio; the Most Rev. Dr. Harty, Archbishop of Cashel; the Most Rev. Dr. Keane, Bishop of Limerick; the Most Rev. Dr. Browne, Bishop of Galway; the Most Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Bishop of Kerry; the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop of Killaloe; the Most Rev. Dr. Kinane, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore; the Most Rev. Dr. Cohalan, Bishop of Cork; the Most Rev. Dr. Roche, Bishop of Cloyne; the Most Rev. Dr. Lyons, Bishop of Kilmore; the Most Rev. Dr. Wall, Bishop of Thasos; the Ven. Archdeacon Corbett, P.P., V.F., Mallow; the Very Rev. Canon Hogan, P.P., V.F., Abbeyfeale; the Rev. M. J. Bowler, P.P., Newmarket; Patrician College, Ballyfin; Port Laoighise Convent of Mercy; the Rev. Brother Nilus, Colaiste Mumhan, Mallow; the Rev. Brother Phillip, Provincial, Castletown, Leix; Dr. J. J. D. Collins, Leap; Skibbereen Branch, I.N.T.O.; Mr. Florence O'Shea, Skibbereen Urban Council; Catholic Truth Society of Ireland; the Rev. J. Bourke, Dean of University College, Dublin; the Rev. Father McSweeney, P.P., Kilbrittain; the Lord Mayor of Cork.

Impressive demonstrations of public sorrow were evidenced at the removal of the remains to the Pro-Cathedral yesterday evening. Gardai, under Superintendent O'Gara, formed a guard of honour, and the bier was borne by members of the local Conference of St. Vincent de Paul Society. Skibbereen Band played the Dead March. The remains were placed before the High Altar, where they will lie in state until 12 o'clock on Monday, when interment will take place.

NEW GERMAN AIRCRAFT

AMERICAN EXPERTS' OPINIONS

Stating that the information was received through diplomatic channels, N.B.C., Boston, last night announced that the German High Command had ordered increased production of a new type of twin-engined destroyer aircraft. The increased production will, it was stated, mean a proportionate decline in the output of other aircraft.

According to American military circles, the significance of this new machine is that it will be able to fly for three hours, or double the flying capacity of the present fighters, which are single-engined, and that it will be capable of escorting bombers over a much wider field of operations that has so far seen air action. It will, for instance, be able to protect bombers on raids which may bring them much farther than London.

American experts interpret this development as meaning that there will be an extension of the air war over a larger area of England.

R.A.F. CUTS GERMAN STEEL OUTPUT

NEW YORK, Thursday.

After the heavy R.A.F. bombing of the Ruhr and Rhineland districts, Germany's steel factories are now providing only about 20 per cent. of the German war machine's need, against 75 per cent. during the World War, according to the current issue of the magazine "Iron Age," which prints a despatch, filed from Lisbon on September 2nd by its German correspondent.—(P.A. War Special.)

RELENTLESS R.A.F. RAIDING

Invasion Ports Badly Hammered

DESTRUCTION ON THREE COASTS

A BRITISH Air Ministry bulletin last night stated:—

"Continuing their relentless hammering of the enemy's Channel ports, bomber squadrons of the Royal Air Force last night (Wednesday) again attacked shipping concentrations, docks and harbour installations from Flushing, in the North, to Le Havre, in the South-West.

FIVE HOURS' RAID

"Le Havre was singled out for the night's heaviest bombardment. Attacking in relays, a strong force of heavy bombers kept up an almost continuous assault upon the harbours, docks and shipping for close on five hours. Many tons of high explosive bombs and great quantities of incendiary bombs were unloaded on the target in the face of fierce opposition from ground defences, and low cloud.

"One of the earlier raiders, guided to the target by a fire already burning in the harbour, attacked from a low level beneath the cloud.

THROUGH A BARRAGE

"As its first stick of heavy bombs fell across the dock, there came the white flash of a terrific explosion, followed immediately after by a second smaller explosion, which appeared to come either from a ship moored alongside the Bassin de Maree or from a large warehouse on the quayside. A great fire, which grew out of the second explosion, quickly spread, and could be seen 50 miles away.

"To launch his attack, the pilot of one aircraft came down to within 1,000 feet and flew through a heavy barrage across the centre of the target. The 'plane received three direct hits from pom-pom shells. Hydraulic gear was put out of action, the tyre of a landing wheel was punctured, and the fuselage was pierced in numerous places by shrapnel and fragments of heavy calibre shell. None of the crew was hurt, and the aircraft, with a flat tyre, was landed safely back at its base.

SHAKEN BY EXPLOSION

"When following aircraft pressed home attacks, sticks of high explosive bombs burst along the quaysides and docks. Fire spread among the shipping massed in the Maree Bassin, and in a dry dock near the Quai de Saigon. A stick of bombs was dropped across the dock from such a low level that the violence of the explosion shook the raiding crew.

"By 11 p.m. fires were raging in many parts of the harbour. A large ship alongside the quay was burning strongly, and a 7,000-ton ship, about a mile north of Honfleur, was also well alight. Eight minutes later a line of ships in the harbour was seen to be ablaze, the flames lighting up the bank of low cloud which hung over the docks and the town. Relays of aircraft continued the bombardment until the early hours of this morning. Again and again the docks and ships alongside were straddled with sticks of high explosive bombs.

POWER STATION DESTROYED

"Flying débris from warehouses on the quay was seen in the light of searchlights, and new fires were set raging as old ones burnt themselves out. One new fire to the north of the Bassin Vaulin engulfed the harbour power station, and the crew of a low-flying aircraft saw red hot girders protruding from the flame. Another big fire was started by incendiary bombs among sheds close to the Gare Transatlantique.

"Other invasion bases at Flushing, Boulogne, Ostend, Dunkirk, Calais and Zeebrugge were also heavily attacked, while other sections of the R.A.F., concentrating on rail communication centres in Germany, bombed goods yards at Mannheim, Krefeld and Hamm."

BRITISH NEWSPAPER OFFICES

DECISION TO CARRY ON AFTER RAID ALARMS

At a meeting of the British Federation of Master Printers, the Newspaper Society and the Printing and Kindred Trades Federation yesterday in London it was decided to enter into negotiations to make an agreement covering the general printing and provincial newspaper industries in line with the recommendations made by the Prime Minister and the Minister for Home Security, whereby work may by mutual agreement continue after the siren "alert" signal and until danger becomes imminent.

Pending a conference, which is to take place on Tuesday next, the three organisations recommend that in the meantime essential work in general printing and provincial newspaper offices be continued after the siren warning, subject to mutual agreement between the management and the "chapel" as to proper safeguards. Two roof watchers shall be appointed by the management and the "chapel" respectively, whose decision as to the imminence of danger shall take immediate effect.

CARDINAL'S SILVER JUBILEE

CELEBRATION IN ARMAGH

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ARMAGH, Thursday.

The silver jubilee of His Eminence Cardinal MacRory will be celebrated on Sunday next by a Solemn Pontifical Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, commencing at 11.30. The Cardinal will sing the Mass and the members of the Cathedral Chapter will be present. It was not thought advisable, or even feasible, in these anxious days to invite all the clergy.

All who assist at the High Mass can gain the plenary indulgence attached on the usual conditions to the Apostolic Benediction, which the Holy Father has authorised His Eminence to impart in his name and by his authority on the occasion.

THE LATE MR. E. J. KING

A Memorial Service for the late Mr. Edwin J. King, U.S. Vice-Consul in Dublin, was held in the Unitarian Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday. The Service was conducted by the Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A.

The attendance included:—The U.S. Minister, Mr. David Gray, and Mrs. Gray; Mr. E. Childers, T.D., representing the Minister for External Affairs; Mr. Jr. Chapin, Secretary, U.S. Legation; Mr. J. Shattuck, U.S. Legation; Miss M. Budinot, U.S. Legation; Mr. Francis H. Styles, U.S. Consul-in-Charge; Mr. R. C. G. Kendrick, U.S. Consulate; Dr. C. D. Read, U.S. Consulate-General; and the following members of the Consulate staff in Dublin: Misses S. Murphy, B. E. Cone, G. Cambell, P. Davis, J. Johnston and A. Boyle, Messrs. J. Duggan, B. Stubbs, N. Finnegan, and Mrs. Auchmuty; Mr. William S. Sinais, American Consul in Cork. M. Cauvet-Duhamel, Secretary to the French Legation; Mr. Nils Jaensson, Swedish Consul-General; Mr. F. R. A. W. Weenink, Dutch Consul-General; Mr. S. Beppu, Japanese Consul; Mr. R. J. Estoo, Consul for Norway and Panama; Mr. A. Duco-Sluis, Consul for Mexico; Mr. J. Keany, Acting Consul for Chile; Dr. Henry Balch, Mr. Seymour Beatley, F.R.C.S.I.; Mr. R. M. Smyllie, Editor, *Irish Times*; Dr. James Ashe, M.C., and Mrs. A. Ryan; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Spiro, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McEntagart, Dr. and Mrs. James Auchmuty, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McKeown, Mr. E. McKeown, Mr. J. J. Prodeta, P.C., Captain H. Mayers, Mr. H. J. Maguire, Mr. A. L. Chapman, Mr. G. J. C. O'Mahony, Dr. J. A. Wallace, Mr. W. Kemp, Mr. F. Rapp, Miss L. A. O'Hanlon, the Misses Casey.

BELFAST WORKER INJURED IN EIRE

JURISDICTION OF NORTHERN COURTS

RAISED IN COMPENSATION CLAIM

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

The right of a Northern Ireland worker, who was injured while working in Eire, to recover compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Acts in the six counties court is being argued in an appeal, which opened to-day in the Court of Appeal, Belfast.

The appellant, Joseph Cash, a steeplejack, who resides at 25 Whitewall Crescent, sought to set aside an order of the Deputy Recorder, who had held that his claim against his employer, John Rainey, trading as J. Rainey and Company, Mary's place, Whitehouse, should be refused on the ground of absence of jurisdiction.

Opening the appeal, Mr. T. J. Campbell, K.C., M.P., said that the contract of employment was made in Belfast on January 8, 1939, and the next morning the appellant and the respondent set out for Eire to work in Cork, Wexford and Westmeath. The contract stated that wages began on the morning they left Belfast.

FELL FROM PLANK

The accident which was the subject of the arbitration happened on January 30, 1939, when the appellant was working on the roof of a church at Fore, County Westmeath. The appellant was standing on a plank forty feet above the ground. When the plank gave way appellant received injuries to his back. For fifteen months he received compensation, and was given light employment. The employer moved to terminate the payments on April 29, 1940, on the ground that the appellant was no longer incapacitated. A dispute arose, and the appellant on June 4 issued his request for arbitration. The respondent put in an answer on June 12, and one of his twelve points was that the Court had no jurisdiction to entertain arbitration.

Answering the Lord Chief Justice, counsel said that both parties resided in Northern Ireland, and he had taken the point before the Deputy Recorder, that, even if there was a lack of jurisdiction there was a waiver, in view of the fact that the respondent had paid compensation under the Act, while counsel on the other side had submitted that the waiver could not create jurisdiction.

The hearing was adjourned until next Tuesday.

EVACUATION OF YUNNAN

LINE TO INDO-CHINA TORN UP

"TIMES" TELEGRAM.

SHANGHAI, Thursday.

Nearly seventy Japanese aircraft raided Chungking on Tuesday in four groups. They were met with heavy anti-aircraft fire. General Chiang Kai-shek, on the anniversary of the Mukden incident yesterday, declared that, in spite of the Japanese bombings, China would never surrender.

In view of the increasing tension in Indo-China the Chinese Government's offices, universities and schools have been ordered to evacuate from Yunnan. The population of Kunming, the capital of the province, is being moved out into the countryside. Since the dynamiting of the bridge on the border on September 9 the Chinese have been removing the rails from the track of the Yunnan railway on a stretch of fifty miles.

The Chinese Press in Chungking predicts a new Japanese offensive in October, adding that the coming months will be critical for China.—(Copyright, per Press Association.)

BURGLARIES AT RAILWAY STATIONS

OLD OFFENDER GETS EIGHT MONTHS

Peter McKnoy, said to be a native of Clontibret, Monaghan, pleaded guilty at Dundalk to a series of house-breaking charges, which included burglaries at Ballybay and Dundalk railway stations, and was sentenced by District Justice Goff to eight months' imprisonment.

THE LATE MR. JAMES WHEATLEY

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your obituary notice of the late Mr. James Wheatley in to-day's issue omits to mention that one of his chief interests was the welfare of the Protestant Orphan Society. For many years past he had been a member of the General and Executive Committees, and gave invaluable help to the work of the Society especially in connection with the management of its financial affairs. He enjoyed not only the high esteem, but the very real affection of all his fellow-members, and his presence at their meetings will be very deeply missed.—Yours, etc.,

THOMAS J. ROBINSON, Secretary,
Protestant Orphan Society,
28 Molesworth street, Dublin,
September 19th, 1940.

FISH SCARCE AND DEAR IN DUBLIN

Supplies of fish to the Dublin market continue light, and yesterday prices soared to a record level. Thus, white soles quoted 10ós. to 15ós., cod 10ós. to 12ós., hake 10ós. to 12ós., white pollock 10ós. to 11ls., haddock 9ls., gurnard 2ós. to 3ós., ray 2ós. to 4ós., and codling 6ós. to 9ós. per box of 6 to 8 stone.

AIR RAID REPRISALS

Quoting their correspondent in London, N.B.C., Boston, stated last night that British public demands for reprisals against Germany for the night bombing of London were growing in strength. "As London's streets become more and more like a battlefield," stated the correspondent, "the demands that England should hit back in similar fashion will continue to grow."

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO BUY AIRCRAFT

SALISBURY (SOUTHERN RHODESIA), Thursday.

Mr. G. R. Milne, a well-known resident of Salisbury, has presented the British Government with a sum sufficient to buy a Spitfire fighter—"as a tribute to Rhodesian pioneers and in commemoration of our jubilee year."

SIMLA, Thursday.

Four fighter aeroplanes are to be purchased for the R.A.F. with £21,000 contributed to the Assam War Fund. Subscriptions were received, not only from the big Assam commercial concerns, but from tea garden labourers, children, and villagers living in remote parts of the country.—(Press Association War Special.)

British residents in Istanbul have started a fund for the purchase of two fighter aircraft for Britain. In a few hours £5,000 was subscribed.

SHIPMENT OF LIVE-STOCK

DIVERSION TO NEW PORT

TRADERS AGREE TO PROPOSALS

A LETTER from the National Executive of the Irish Live-Stock Trade, enclosing copy of a letter received from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, regarding the diversion of fat cattle shipped from Eire to Birkenhead, was mentioned at a meeting of the Committee of the Irish Live-Stock Exporters' and Traders' Association, Ltd., on Wednesday night.

Mr. Leo Ferris (chairman) presided.

The letter from the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture stated that the British Ministry of Food were pressing for a decision in regard to their proposal for a diversion from Birkenhead to Liverpool or Manchester of such numbers of fat cattle as it might not be possible to deal with at Birkenhead. Having regard to the representations which the Ministry of Food had made, the Minister for Agriculture considered that he could not withhold his concurrence to an arrangement under which the Ministry of Food would transfer cattle at their own expense if the necessity for such action arose, and he proposed to inform the Ministry of Food to that effect.

The Chairman said that some time ago members of the National Executive met the Minister for Agriculture. They met a number of shippers, and although all agreed to the diversion, none, so far, had shipped to Manchester.

NO OPTION

The British Ministry of Food, he continued, took a serious view of it, and if they did not do something about it the Ministry would send the cattle where they wished, and the trade here no longer would have an option in the matter.

It was agreed to carry out the arrangement.

The Chairman announced that the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture had telephoned that day asking that the National Executive should call to see him the following day in connection with a new purchase arrangement by the British Government in respect of fat stock shipped from this country. The arrangement was likely to come into operation immediately. The Secretary of the Department had suggested that as well as the members of the National Executive, it would help if some representative of fat stock exporters, independent of the Executive, were also to attend the meeting in view of the importance of the matter. It had been arranged that the meeting should be held in Government Buildings at 3.45 p.m.

U.S. PRESIDENCY

MR. WILLKIE'S CAMPAIGN IN CALIFORNIA

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA, Thursday.

Mr. Wendell Willkie, Republican candidate for the United States Presidency, in the first speech, here to-day, of a series of campaign addresses in California, said:—"The democratic way of life is in test. In order to preserve the democratic system, two things are needed—the construction of strong defences, and the revitalisation of domestic economy."

The *New York Times* announced in a leading article to-day that it is supporting Mr. Willkie for the Presidency. It is the first time that this paper has supported a Republican candidate since 1908. It gives as its reasons the belief that Mr. Willkie is better equipped than Mr. Roosevelt to provide the United States with adequate defences, that Mr. Roosevelt's fiscal policies have failed disastrously, and that, at a time when the traditional safeguards of democracy are falling everywhere, it is particularly important to preserve the American tradition against investing the enormous powers of the Presidency in the hands of any man for three consecutive terms of office.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S PROSPECTS

According to a Columbia Broadcasting Service message from Washington, President Roosevelt is still a two to one favourite for re-election to the Presidency. This position in the election betting is given to the President as the result of a survey carried out by *News Survey* among the fifty best-known political writers in America. Thirty-four of the writers said that if the election took place to-day Roosevelt would win "hands down"; they estimate that he will receive 312 of the electoral votes, against 219 for Mr. Wendell L. Willkie, the Republican nominee.

JAPAN'S AFFAIRS DISCUSSED

TOKYO, Thursday.

Cabinet Ministers and Service Chiefs conferred for three hours at the Imperial Palace to-day in the presence of the Emperor. A communiqué stated that "important affairs of State" were discussed.

The conference was attended by the Premier, Prince Konoye; the War, Navy, Foreign Affairs and Finance Ministers; the Chiefs and Vice-Chiefs of the Army and Navy General Staffs, and the President of the Cabinet Planning Board.—(Reuter.)

SIR GEORGE PAISH

ADVISED TO RETURN TO ENGLAND

Sir John Anderson, Home Secretary, stated yesterday, in a written parliamentary reply, that the visit of Sir George Paish to the United States and Canada was not sponsored by the Government, and, in view of his recent reported "indiscretions," he has been advised by His Majesty's Ambassador to return to Great Britain.

GERMANS STOPPED BY SOVIET OFFICIALS

BUCHAREST, Thursday.

A German Black Guard organisation established at Galatz for the evacuation of Germans from Bessarabia has begun operations, but is stated to have encountered initial difficulties.

It is reliably reported, but not confirmed, from Galatz to-day that four hundred lorries, which left Galatz yesterday to collect German refugees from Bessarabia, have been halted at the Soviet frontier and refused permission to enter Soviet territory. Soviet officials stated to-day that they themselves would bring refugees to the frontier.—(Reuter.)

ITALIAN MINISTER BACK FROM GERMANY

ROME, Thursday.

General Taruzzi, Italian Colonial Minister, returned to Rome to-day from Germany.

While in Berlin, General Tarussi had talks with Hitler and Ritter von Epp, German Colonial Minister.—(P.A. War Special.)

MR. ROOSEVELT'S SON JOINS UP

Mr. E. Roosevelt, son of President Roosevelt, has left New York for Washington to join the American Air Force and undergo training for one year.

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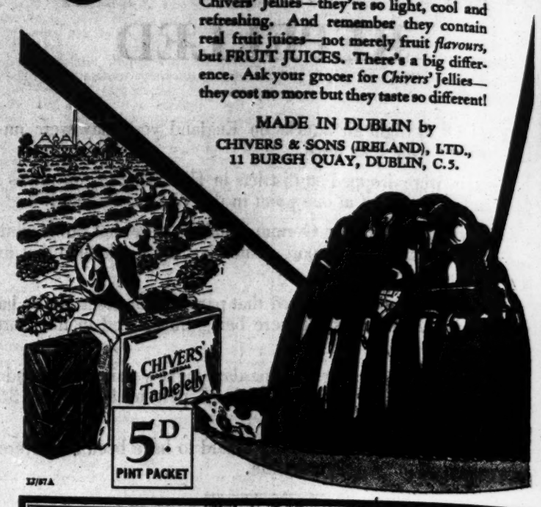

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JAPAN'S THREAT TO INDO-CHINA

FAILURE OF TALKS REPORTED

ACTIVITY ON CHINESE BORDER

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SHANGHAI, Thursday.

THE negotiations between Japan and the authorities of French Indo-China regarding Japanese demands for a "right of way" through French colonial territory, and other concessions, have been broken off, according to Chinese Press reports from Hong Kong. These reports say that only force now remains as a means of settling the dispute.

People in Indo-China report intense military activity by Chinese forces on the border in preparation for a Japanese invasion, which is regarded as imminent. Another Chinese source says that Kunming aerodrome, in Yunnan, the nearest Chinese province, has been considerably enlarged. Over a hundred bombers and fighter planes have arrived there.

Thailand (Siam), says a Hong Kong telegram, has presented French Indo-China with a new series of demands following the Vichy Government's rejection of her three previous territorial claims, according to the *China Mail*.

Representatives of the Thailand Government are said to have called on the French Legation at Bangkok to deliver the demands verbally.

REMOVING JAPANESE NATIONALS

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

HANOI, Thursday.

A Japanese spokesman announced here to-day that all Japanese civilian nationals in Indo-China, including diplomatic representatives, would be removed by special train and boat, starting to-morrow, in advance of the prospective arrival of Japanese armed forces.

Negotiations are continued on means for putting into effect the Vichy-Tokyo agreement, granting limited military facilities to the Japanese.

The Japanese Consul-General in Hanoi issued a warning to Japanese nationals on Tuesday to prepare to leave Indo-China if Franco-Japanese relations should deteriorate after the conference taking place to permit the entry of Japanese troops into French territory.

The French authorities have remained silent regarding the new Japanese moves, but it was understood here that while they were prepared to continue the negotiations they were also determined to reject representations if they took the form of an ultimatum, or were accompanied by the threat of force.

LIBRARY HELD TO BE IMMUNE

NEW YORK, Thursday.

A New York Court to-day ruled that the German Library Information Service had diplomatic immunity as an agency of the German Government, and dismissed the charges against Director Mathias Schmitz of failing to register the Library as a business Corporation.

Schmitz was charged, after a former magistrate, Joseph Goldstein, had accused the Library of being a medium of propaganda.—(Associated Press.)

BRITAIN SAILS INDIAN SEAS

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Over 200 British merchantmen during last week alone freely sailed the Indian Seas in a constant stream to and from Africa, Singapore, China and the Persian Gulf, according to authoritative information available here.—(P.A. War Special.)

DANISH FISH FOR ITALY

ROME, Thursday.

A new trade agreement has been concluded between Italy and the Danish Government. This provides for an increase in quotas and an exchange of fresh fish against textiles and tobacco.—(Reuter.)

RUMANIA EXPELS BRITISH TEACHERS

BUCHAREST, Thursday.

The Rumanian police to-night notified 12 British teachers that they must leave the country within a fortnight. No official reason was given, and the British Legation is reported to be preparing a strong protest.—(Associated Press.)

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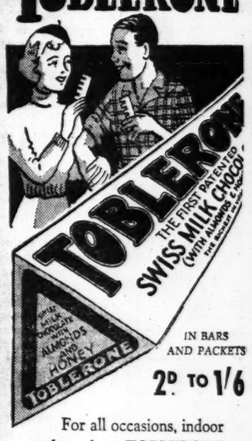

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REFUSED A DANCE LICENCE

An application for a dance licence for a skating rink in Galway, which, it was stated, had been reconstructed at a cost of £15,000, was objected to by the Rev. B. Moroney, C.C., who said that in the misery prevailing there was sufficient accommodation for dancing in the city.

District Justice Ford, refusing the application, said it was being made for purely commercial purposes.

£12 FINE FOR HAVING POTEEN

SEQUEL TO FALL FROM A HORSE

A fall from his horse led to Peter O'Connor, Boliska, Spiddal, being fined £12 at Oughterard, when he was charged with the possession of poteen.

Garda M. McCarthy said that at midnight on July 10 he saw defendant fall from his horse in Oughterard. He went up to him and found that he was a little hurt. When taking him to the barracks he noticed O'Connor trying to get rid of something he had in his pocket. On investigating witness found defendant in possession of a bottle of poteen.

HELP FOR LONDON RAID VICTIMS

JOHANNESBURG, Thursday

The latest totals reached in the local mayors' funds for the relief of victims of London air raids are:—Johannesburg, over £22,000; Durban, over £31,000; Capetown, over £9,000; Port Elizabeth, over £5,000.—(P.A. War Special.)

The photograph of the late Most Rev. Dr. Patrick Casey in this issue is by Lafayette.

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THE CURRAGH—YESTERDAY

MILADY ROSE DEFEATS ETOILE DE LYONS

Maharanee, Autumn Lady and Taffytrap Score Again

ANOTHER excellent day's racing was provided for visitors to the Curragh yesterday, when the attendance appeared to be quite as large as that of Wednesday. Big fields and close finishes in the majority of the races kept interest in the proceedings alive, and, again, well-backed horses proved successful in almost every instance.

It was in accordance with the fitness of things that the Railway Stakes, the valuable two years old race, which was the principal event of the day, furnished the most interesting contest. Four horses were supported with almost equal confidence, and, incidentally, were the four concerned with the finish. Milady Rose and Etoile de Lyons were the leading pair throughout, and in a dour finish the former prevailed by a length, with Sol Orien a length and a half off third, and Uvira fourth. The winner belongs to Major E. M. Conolly, who bred her, and has her engaged in next year's Irish 1,000 Guineas.

The very consistent Taffytrap gave his best performance when winning the Turf Club Handicap, under an impost of 9st. 5lb., and it was by sheer staying ability he did so. Falkirk and Sunny Star were fighting out the issue for most of the way, but Taffytrap, tackling them close home, quickly put paid to their accounts. This was his fourth score out of five attempts, his only failure in this country being when he finished second to Control in a five furlongs race at the previous Curragh meeting.

Mr. R. More O'Ferrall, trainer of Taffytrap, saddled another winner in Maharanee, who, in the Nursery Handicap, wore Ballymun down in a gruelling finish and won by a head, but the probability is that Summerville, who finished third, would have beaten both had there been another hundred yards to go. Maharanee, who was bred by Mr. J. B. Joel, was penalised 7lb. for her Phoenix Park score, but this was nullified through J. Cartwright being able to claim the 7lb. allowance.

BRISK BIDDING

The Furze Maiden Plate, both in the wagering and the race, was a two-horse affair between Ferbane and Mill Boy, and the better staying power of Mr. J. J. Parkinson's gelding enabled him to score comfortably.

Mr. M. C. Collins made no mistake when he purchased Autumn Lady for 50 sovs. after she had won the Brownstown Plate at the Curragh second May meeting, for she won for him another selling plate at the Phoenix Park second July meeting, scored also at Mallow last week, and now beat a big field in the Rossmore Selling Plate, for which Kittie was a very strong favourite, but never looked like winning. There was good bidding for the daughter of September Errand when subsequently submitted for sale, but eventually she was bought in by Mr. Collins for 210 sovs.

Wyelands was supported to win the Welter Plate in a manner to suggest that nothing else had a chance, and up to a point she looked like justifying the confidence behind her, but close home an unexpected challenge came from her stable companion, Avena, who in a few strides got her measure and won in a canter. Mr. W. Barnett, who won the Irish St. Leger on the previous day with Harvest Feast, owns the winner, and she is a full sister to his Derby winner Trigo. Details:—

2.45—FURZE MAIDEN PLATE of 100 sovs. (50 sovs. of which is from the percentage received from the Totalisator Board). Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 1m.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. c. FERBANE, by Fil Magnum—Miss Marhill. 3. 8-4.....M. Winn 1
Mrs. M. Dawson's MILL BOY. 3. 8-4...M. Beary 2
Mr. P. J. Lenehan's VENTURA, 4. 8-5.....M. O'Reilly 3

Also ran:—Peter the Painter, 8-4 (T. Whitehead); Rathmore Lass, 8-4 (M. Nolan). (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—Evens Mill Boy, 11 to 10 agst. FERBANE, 20 to 1 any other. Tote 2/-)—Win, 6/-; places, 3/-. 2/6.

Won by 2l.; 6l. Peter the Painter 4. Time—1m. 43 1-5 secs.

3.15—ROSSMORE SELLING PLATE of 100 sovs. (50 sovs. of which is from the percentage received from the Totalisator Board). Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 5f.

Mr. M. C. Collins's b. f. AUTUMN LADY, by September Errand—Marchesa. 2. 7-11.....M. Hartnett 1
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's KNIGHTS DUCHESS. 2. 7-9.....P. Burns 2
Mr. J. McLean's BELLAHOUSTON. 2. 8-10.....E. M. Quirke 3

Also ran:—Manx Fiat, 8-10 (E. Wing); Top o' the Wave, 9-5 (A. Barrett, jun.); Golden Antler, 9-5 (Jos. Canty); Kittie, 7-13 (car. 7-13) (G. Wells); Lady Cloverfield, 7-5 (P. Grogan); Lough Ahery, 7-6 (G. Cooney); Island Chief, 7-7 (W. Howard). (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Kittie, 5 to 2 AUTUMN LADY, 4 to 1 Manor Fiat, 6 to 1 Knight's Duchess, 100 to 8 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 13/6; places, 4/-, 9/6, 20/-.

Won by 5l.; a neck. Manor Fiat 4, Kittie 5, Golden Antler 6, Lady Cloverfield 7. Time—60 1-5 secs.

The winner was bought in for 210 sovs.

3.45—RAILWAY STAKES. A sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each for acceptors, with 350 sovs. added. Winner 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent., after deduction of a bonus of 25 sovs. to the owner (at entry) of the winner. For two years old. 6f. 63yds.

Major E. M. Conolly's b. f. MILADY ROSE, by Knight of the Garter—Rose Cygnet. 8-10.....M. Wing 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's ETOILE DE LYONS, 9-5.....Jos Canty 2
Mr. J. Dillon's SOL ORIENS, 8-7.....W. Barrett 3

Also ran:—First Bloom, 8-13 (M. Beary); Footbridge, 8-8 (H. Beasley); Historical Revue, 8-8 (G. Wells); Carmont, 8-7 (car. 8-9) (C. Smirke); Fintona, 8-3 (H. Holmes); Mystic Light, 8-3 (P. Canty); Cuirm Gail, 8-3 (W. Evans); Wheatberry, 8-3 (J. Burns); Croce, 8-3 (A. Barrett); Uvira, 8-3 (J. Taylor). (Winner trained by Col. A. J. Blake.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. MILADY ROSE and Uvira, 7 to 2 each—Etoile de Lyons and Sol Oriens, 10 to 1 First Bloom, 20 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 6/-; places, 3/-, 3/-, 2/6.

Won by 1l.; 1½l. Uvira 4, Historical Revue 5, First Bloom 6, Carmont 7.

4.15—TURF CLUB HANDICAP of 150 sovs. Second 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 1m.

Mr. B. J. Hilliard's ch. g. TAFFYTRAP, by Caerleon—La Sourciere, 3, 9-8.....E. M. Quirke 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's FALKIRK, 5, 8-3.....G. Wells 2
Mrs. G. Robinson's SUNNY STAR. 4, 8-2.....M. O'Regan 3

Also ran:—War Lord, 9-8 (J. Cartwright); Benedict, 9-9 (Joe Canty); Point d'Atout, 9-1 (J. Moylan); Bamboia, 8-4 (M. Wing); Kingston Gorse, 8-4 (J. Power); Trident, 8-0 (M. Nolan); Meshra, 7-7 (car. 7-11) (M. Hartnett); Artist's Son, 7-6 (T. P. Burns); Evora, 7-7 (H. Holmes). (Winner trained by R. More O'Ferrall.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Artist's Son, 4 to 1 each TAFFYTRAP and Bamboia, 8 to 1 each Trident and Falkirk, 10 to 1 Sunny Star, 20 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 14/6; places, 4/-, 6/6, 11/-.

Won by 3l.; 1½l. Bamboia 4, Evora 5, Artist's Son 6, Point d'Atout 7, Meshra 8. Time—1 min. 40 secs.

4.45—NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap for two years old. 5 f.

Mr. F. More O'Ferrall's ch. f. MAHARANEE, by Coronach—Fiji Dance (7lb. ex.), 8-7.....J. Cartwright 1
Mr. John Byrne's BALLYMUN, 8-0.....P. Canty 2
Miss D. Paget's SUMMERVILLE, 7-5.....P. Burns 3

Also ran—Parkside, 8-10 (Joe Canty), The White Hart, 8-7 (J. Moylan), Blancairn, 7-12 (G. Wells), Buffalo Bill, 7-12 (M. Nolan), Young Fairy, 7-5 (P. McGiff). Linked Sweetness, 7-12 (H. Holmes). (Winner trained by R. More O'Ferrall.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst MAHARANEE, 2 to 1 Parkside, 5 to 1 Summerville, 7 to 1 The White Hart, 10 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/6; places 2/6, 3/, 3/6.

Won by a head. ¾l. The White Hart 4, Blancairn 5, Young Fairy 6, Parkside 7.

5.15—WELTER PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap. 1¼m.

Mr. W. Barnett's b. c. AVENA, by Blandford—Athasi, 4, 8-7.....T. Burns 1
Mr. W. R. Lysaght's WYELANDS, 5, 9-7.....M. Wing 2
Mr. H. Davis's ARCHDUKE II., 6, 8-7.....W. Hamill 3

Also ran—Mickey Mouse, 10-3 (M. Beary), Ajar, 9-5 (T. P. Burns), Cameron, 9-7 (W. Barrett), Jonarin, 9-4 (G. Wells), Royal Avenue, 9-3 (Joe Canty), Angerton, 8-11 (E. M. Quirke), Cronje, 8-11 (C. Smirke). Inishowen, 8-9 (L. J. Moore), Ellen's Pride, 8-5 (M. Nolan), Bradicate, 8-5 (W. Howard), Egyptian Queen, 8-0 (John Doyle). Prescribed, 8-0 (E. J. Reavy). (Winner trained by D. Rogers.)

Betting—Evens Wyelands, 5 to 1 each agst. AVENA and Ajar, 7 to 1 Eradicate, 8 to 1 Archduke II., 10 to 1 each Egyptian Queen and Inishowen, 20 to 1 any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 10/6; places 3/- 2/6, 19/-.

Won by eight lengths, a neck. Ellen's Pride 4, Inishowen 5, Angerton 6, Royal Avenue 7, Cronje 8, Mickey Mouse 9. Time—2m. 37 4-5s.

The TOTE DOUBLE (5/- stake)—Milady Rose and Maharanee—Dividend £2 18/6; 1,203 winning tickets; pool £341 10/-. Day's pool, £2,038 8/-. Last year, £1,766 3/-.

In the interest of Public Health, the Curragh Racecourse Premises were disinfected with Jeyes' Fluid.—(Advt.)

GREYHOUND RACING

THREE SHORT-HEAD FINISHES

EXCITING RACING AT HAROLD'S CROSS

Williamstown Skipper, following a defeat on the same track over 525 yards on Tuesday, won the Leinster Plate of 500 yards at Harold's Cross last night. He proved a useful stayer, as he led after the first (en yards, and even though Tidy Princess challenged strongly at the last bend, Williamstown Skipper came again to win by a length and a half.

The handicapper underestimated the ability of Tree Mover in the 525 Yards Handicap, for with an advantage of twelve yards from the scratch pair he won as he liked in the reasonably good time, under the heavy conditions, of 31.66 secs. He is an exceptionally big dog, with a very long stride. There was a great finish to the second of the Autumn Hurdle Trial Stakes. Cheers for Granagh led well to the third jump, where he was caught and passed by Puppy Jack and Kilmeadin Creamery. These two fought it out up the straight, and Puppy Jack just got home in front on the line. The Sprint also produced a thrilling finish, the first three all crossing the line with less than a length between them, and to wind up an interesting evening Meadow Mist won the last race from Wings of Belle by a similar narrow margin. Details:—

ULSTER PLATE (525 yards)—Mr. S. Dooley's HUNDRED ISLES (Munster Vale—Nellie Nix) (2), 5 to 4, 1; BIT OF FILLET (6), 3 to 1, 2; FLORID DE PLUME (3), 5 to 2, 3. Also ran—Allestown Lady (2), 5 to 1; Dashing Mac (4), 5 to 1; Sheedy's Special (5), 4 to 1. Distance; 3l. 31.46 secs.

AUTUMN HURDLE TRIAL STAKE (350 yards)—Mr. T. Tobin's MARCH MUSIC (Going Cutlet—Pinning Bessie) (3), 2 to 1, 1; FLAT BOTTLE (6), 4 to 1, 2; RACING DICK (1), 5 to 1, 3. Also ran—Lough Maid (4), 4 to 1. Distance; 34.60 secs.

LEINSTER PLATE (500 yards)—Mr. M. Dargan's WILLIAMSTOWN SKIPPER (Sandiway—Long Ambition) (6), 6 to 2, 1; BALTRAY BOY (1), 4 to 1, 2; TIDY PRINCESS (5), 9 to 2, 3. Also ran—Noble Tutu (4), 4 to 1; Put 'Em Out (3), 6 to 1; Master Kinat (3), 6 to 2. 1¼l., 1¼l. 35.54 secs.

MUNSTER PLATE (525 yards handicap)—Messrs. O'Hara and Tobin's TRIUMPH MOVER (Arderahan's Best—Tombrack Lass) (12 yds.), 5 to 2, 1; SANDILL'S DELIGHT (9 yds.), 4 to 1, 2; BETTER BLEND (3 yds.), 7 to 2, 3. Also ran—Cheers for Cahardaff (scr.), 4 to 1; Thesaurus (scr.), 5 to 2; Soaring Low (6 yds.), 5 to 1. 4l.; 6l. 31.68 secs.

AUTUMN HURDLE TRIAL STAKE (350 yards)—Mr. P. Byrne's PUPPY JACK (Lemonition—Gleannwney) (1), 3 to 1, 1; KILMEADIN CREAMERY (6), 3 to 1, 2; SUID ORT (4), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Cheers for Granagh (3), 5 to 2. Short head; 4l. 32.33 secs.

HAROLD'S CROSS SPRINT (350 yards)—Mr. T. Haddock's JOCKEDYE PET (Benny's Pet—Seance) (6), 2 to 1, 1; AMOY FRIEND (3), 5 to 1, 2; STAGMOUNT ROAD (2), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—George's Warrior (4), 5 to 4; Inler's Bob (5), 3 to 1; Young Stay (1), 7 to 1. Short head; 4l. 30.63 secs.

LIFFEY PLATE (525 yards)—Mr. P. Fallon's MEADOW MINE (4), 5 to 2, 1; WINGS OF BELLE (3), 2 to 1, 2; FAIRLY MEETING YOU (6), evens, 3. Also ran—Celebridge Lass (1), 5 to 1; Deirdale's Love (5), 6 to 1; Feather Patch (2), 5 to 1. Short head; 3l. 31.45 secs.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—**525 YARDS**—Lam Derg, Hit the Road, Fascioia, Kindly Given, Bay Ribs, Quandary, Facing Forward Cherry Wine.

8.50—**525 YARDS** (Two Bitches)—Mountain Oyster, Parthian's Pride, Portain Raven, Coolcap Castle, Subs.: Farnogue Hero, First Rose of Summer.

8.45—**550 YARDS**—Toward Point, Devil Skin, Ball Alley Carmel, Killenlea, Lynnside, Lone Rambler, Master Kinat.

9.55—**545 YARDS** (handicap)—John's Negro (scr.), 5 st. 5 lbs.; Sweetbriar (3yds.), Arctic Mint (6yds.), Kilmainham Lass (9yds.), Mick Decide (12yds.).

550 YARDS—Lemon Master, Goldmines Lad, Tardy, Slievenalicka. Sub.: Atrah No.

9.15—**525 YARDS**—Inler Snib, Tiny Vixen, Baytown Gift, Ragabs Fancy, Corena, Kookaburra, Keen Jane, Kilcash Lemon.

9.30—**525 YARDS**—Kellside, Ahamore Lady, Broken Wall, Kits Island, Valiant Sheller, Genial Belle, Kylock Feather Leg, Carefree Chum.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

FIRST BIG GAME OF THE SEASON

MANY INTERNATIONALS PLAYING AT BRISTOL

The first big Rugby Union game of the season will be played to-morrow between the Rev. P. W. P. Brooks's West of England XV. and the British Empire XV., on the Clifton College ground, near Bristol. Proceeds will be devoted entirely to the Mayor of Bristol's Red Cross Fund. The Rev. P. W. P. Brook, the English international forward, has got together a strong side, including six internationals. His team is:—

Full-back—H. Isaacs (Newport and Welsh Trial).
Three-quarters—M. J. Daly (Harlequins and Ireland), A. Jeffries (Bristol), G. Pearce (Bristol and Gloucestershire), S. G. Priddle (Bristol).
Half-backs—R. R. Morris (Bristol and Wales), W. H. Moreland (Gloucester).
Forwards—W. E. Jones (Neath and Wales), W. H. Travers (Newport and Wales), A. Reid (Scottish Trial), A. T. Payne (Bristol and England), K. G. Foss (Bath and Somerset), C. R. Murphy (Bristol and English Trial), C. L. Smith (Clifton College), Rev. P. W. P. Brook (Bristol and England) (captain).

The Empire XV. will include Harold Boughton, the Gloucestershire and England full-back, and A. D. Carpenter, the Gloucester and England hooker. It is hoped that a number of other internationals and trial caps will be in the side.

GOLF

INSURANCE SHIELD

TIE IN COMPETITION AT THE GRANGE

Seven insurance companies, including Insurance Corporation (the holders), competed in the Inter-Office Shield at the Grange yesterday. The result was a tie between Royal and Irish National and New Ireland, with 74½ nett. The tie will be decided on a future date. Details:—

INTER-OFFICE SHIELD.

E. W. Walsh (19) and G. Campbell (18) (Royal), 74½.
C. F. Ryan (11) (Irish National) and T. Martin (18) (New Ireland), 74½.
J. Lambert (14) and W. J. Prescott (20) (Employers'), 79½.
J. McE. Stephen (13) and R. W. Jameson (16) (Yorkshire), 81.
H. Mooney (20) and V. Thornhill (20) (London and Lancashire), 81½.
J. A. Doyle (6) and G. Milligan (20) (Sun), 82.
M. W. O'Reilly (16) and M. J. Campbell (15) (New Ireland), 82½.
L. O'Reilly (18) and J. E. Fitzgerald (11) (Irish National), 83.

I.L.G.U. MIDLAND DISTRICT

Autumn prizes, held at Mullingar.

Class A—Mrs. Doorley (Birr), 71; Miss Perfold (19), 85. Best Gross—Miss O'Donoghue (Carlow).

Class B—Miss Mackey (29), 78; Miss Casey (32), 81; Miss Geoghegan (35), 82.

Fourball, nine-hole, sweepstake—Mrs. Drea (12) and Miss Murphy (9) (Kilkenny), 1 up; Mrs. Doorley (13) and Miss E. Meagher (24), all square. Forty-five took out cards in the medal round.

CLUB NOTICES

KILLINEY.—To-morrow — Mr. T. Mitchell's prize, stroke.

RATHFARNHAM (Ladies' Branch).—Tuesday last, monthly medal—Class A:—Mrs. Cochrane (14), 77; Class B: Miss Walker Browne (36), 68. Tuesday, 24th Sept.—Medal finals in two classes, stroke. Prizes presented by men's committee.

WOODBROOK (Ladies' Section).—Mr. O'Connell's (captain) prize—Mrs. McEnery (36), 86; Mrs. MacDonald (30), 66. Best gross, first day, Miss Fitzsimons, 85; best nett, second day, Mrs. A. Hurley (25), 75; best gross, second day, Mrs. Preedy, 88. Final medal—Miss Fitzsimon (9), 74; Miss F. O'Riordan, 76 (19). Captain's (Mrs. Hayden) dinner—Tuesday, 24th, at 7.15 p.m.

SUTTON (Ladies' Section).—Semi-open foursome—Mrs. Knapp and Miss F. McEnegart (11), 75; Miss Drury and Mrs. Silberry (21), 75; the former won on tie. Tuesday next—Sweep, bogey.

IRISH CORN TRADE G.S.—The annual autumn fourball competition will be held at the Hermitage Golf Club, Lucan, on Monday, 23rd Sept., to compete for the Kennedy Fourball Perpetual Challenge Cups; draw commences at 2 o'clock p.m. An informal supper will be held in the club-house afterwards at 7.45 p.m. sharp.

MILLTOWN.—To-morrow—President's (Dr. W. Lombard Murphy) prize, 18 holes, bogey; time sheet. Wednesday—Wednesday medal, bogey. **ELM PARK.**—Branch—Sunday medal. Class 1—Mrs. Duffy (16), 74. Qualified—Mrs. M. Lee (20), 76; Class 2—Mrs. C. McDermott (36), 82.

PORTMARNOCK.—Wednesday competition—Dr. G. Vernon and Dr. F. Drury-Byrne, 8 up; A. C. Rock and J. Hall, 4 up.

SERVICE.—Wednesday competition—P. Cairns (17), 69; F. R. Howard (5), 71; G. Doran (6), 71; J. O'Toole (9), 71; T. W. Pyper (6), 72; T. G. Fitzsimons (15), 73; M. J. Hanrahan (19), 73. To-morrow—Dollymount Cup, 18 holes, stroke.

COUNTY LOUTH.—Miss J. Reinder's prize—Mrs. Gillan (28), 73. Sweep—Miss Carberry (9), 6 down. Mrs. McDermott (25), 7 down.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

PLAY ALLOWED ON SUNDAYS

F.A. CONCESSION TO WAR WORKERS

In order to provide football recreation for war workers, whose only free day is Sunday, the Football Association has partially relaxed their rule forbidding Sunday football. During the war works clubs, who cannot play on any other day, may arrange inter-departmental and friendly matches on Sundays.

The resolution of the F.A. War Emergency Committee issued yesterday, reads:—"Having regard to the wish of the Government that war workers should be given every facility for recreation, and to the fact that large numbers of such workers are fully engaged on every week-day, the Football Association will not raise any objection to the arrangement of inter-departmental competitions and friendly matches by works clubs on Sundays during the war period on the following conditions:—

(a) That permission be obtained from the county association with which the works club is affiliated;

(b) That the works club satisfies the county association that it is not possible for it to play on a day other than Sunday;

(c) That the teams be restricted to members of the works club;

(d) That no gate money be taken at the matches.

Works teams will not be allowed to arrange matches with Sunday sides which are not run by works organisations.

STRONG ARMY TEAM

The Army will field the following side against Notts County at Meadow Lane to-morrow:—Sgt.-Instr. F. Swift, Sgt.-Instr. B. Sproston, Sgt.-Instr. W. Cook, Sgt.-Instr. C. S. Britton, Sgt.-Instr. S. Calis, C.S.M.-Instr. J. Mercer; Sgt.-Instr. M. Robinson, Trooper Eastham, L.-Cpl. D. Westcott, Rgt.-Sgt.-Instr. M. Fazzio, Sgt.-Instr. D. Compton.

ENGLISH MATCHES OFF

The matches between Portsmouth and Southend United and Clapton Orient and Bournemouth, arranged for to-morrow, have been cancelled, Southend and Bournemouth being unable to raise teams for the journeys.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE

LEINSTER SENIOR CUP—SECOND ROUND.
Bohemians v. Jacobs. Dalymount Park, 6.15.

SWIMMING

KEEN CONTESTS AT BOY SCOUTS' GALA

HONOURS SHARED BY 27th AND 6th COMPANIES

Keen rivalry between the 6th and 27th Companies was a prominent feature of the annual gala at the Iveagh Baths last night of the Dublin Boy Scouts' Association. The 27th Company had three first and two second places to their credit, and the 6th Company three firsts and one second. The Boy Scouts scored a fine victory after a close contest in the annual squadron race with the Boys' Brigade, the losers making a fight of it all the way.

St. Andrew's College were successful in the inter-troop squadron event, for which there was a fine entry. The very inclement weather affected the attendance and the number of starters, which were below the average. The gala programme was handled efficiently the various events being run off with celerity. Details:—

9.15—**525 YARDS**—J. Kerr (6th), 1; D. Maguire (8th), 2; R. Roiden (8th), 3. Time—19 secs.

50 Yards, Scouts under 16—Final—W. Smith (27th), 1; G. Connolly (27th), 2; T. MacDougald (31st), 3. Ten competed. Time—72 secs.

44 Yards, Scouts under 16—Final—R. A. Smith (37th), 1; A. Connor (35th), 2; R. Kerr (16th), 3. Twelve competed. Time—30 1-5 secs.

Rover Scouts, 100 Yards—J. Smyth (36th) swam over.

44 Yards (Scouts), Breast and Back Strokes—Final—G. Connolly (27th), 1; A. Karrach (27th), 2; J. Reid (19th), 3. Fourteen competed. Time—43 secs.

44 Yards, Scouts under 14—Final—J. Tomkins (6th), 1; H. Ruddock (37th), 2; E. Walsh (39th), 3. Twelve competed. Time—35 secs.

66 Yards, King's Scouts—Final—R. Kerr (6th), 1; S. Hamilton (6th), 2; E. Frith (32nd), 3. Seven competed. Time—57 secs.

Rover Scouts, 44 Yards, Breast and Back Strokes—J. Lockhart (36th), swam over.

88 Yards Squadron Race—Boy Scouts (J. MacDougald, K. Byrne M. Morris, J. Spencer), 1; Boys' Brigade, 2. A.-and. Time—88 1-5 secs.

Scouts Inter-Troop Squadron Race, 88 Yards—27th, St. Andrew's College (N. A. Stewart, N. Parkes, D. Connolly, W. R. Smith), 1; 37th, 2nd Kingstown, 2; 19th, Glasnevin, 3. Eight teams competed. Time—57 secs.

Rovers Inter-crew Squadron Race—36th, Abbey Church, swam over.

WESLEY COLLEGE GALA

Wesley College will hold their annual gala at the Iveagh Baths this evening, commencing at 7.0 o'clock.

In addition to the usual club events, the programme includes three Leinster Schools' championships—the Senior and Juvenile Squadron events and the 50 Yards Junior championship.

GAELIC GAMES

THE TOM MARKHAM MEMORIAL CUP FOR ALL-IRELAND MINOR FOOTBALL

At Barry's Hotel, Dublin, last night the members of the Tom Markham Memorial Committee presented to the G.A.A. the Tom Markham Memorial Cup, to be held by the winners of the All-Ireland Minor Football Championship. The late Mr. Markham was Chairman of the Co. Dublin Board when the Dublin team, captained by his son, won the only Minor Championship ever gained by the county. The presentation was made by Mr. Sean Fitzpatrick, and was received by Mr. C. McGough, who represents Britain on the Central Council. Amongst those present were—Mr. P. O'Keeffe, General Secretary, G.A.A.; the Rev. Father Troy, Mr. Art McGann, Mr. J. McMahon, Mr. Tom Russell (vice-chairman, Co. Dublin Board); Mr. Eamonn Murphy (Leinster Council), Mr. E. Murphy (Junior Football Board), Mr. Pelly, Sligne (Secretary, Sean Cole Club), Mr. Seamus Cole, Mr. W. Walsh, Mr. M. Hilliard (Navan), Mr. T. Markham, jun.; Mr. J. Cox and Mr. J. Lyons, captain and vice-captain of the Sean Cole Club, and Mr. Sean O'Callaghan, Secretary of the Memorial Committee.

Making the presentation, Mr. Fitzpatrick said it was the proudest moment of his life to be able to present this magnificent cup for the All-Ireland Minor Gaelic Football Championship to commemorate the memory of that sterling Gael, Tom Markham. He thanked the committee and members of the Sean Cole Club for their unceasing efforts in helping to promote the memorial.

HOCKEY

PEMBROKE WANDERERS' CLUB

The September general meeting will be held this evening at the Red Bank, D'Olier street, at 7.45 o'clock.

Opening practice to-morrow at Serpentine avenue, at 2.45 o'clock.

MONKSTOWN CLUB

All members are requested to turn out for general practice to-morrow at Royal terrace at 3 o'clock. New members are invited.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY

GLENGARA PAST CLUB

General meeting and practice to-morrow at 4 o'clock.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

All engagements in Lady Curtis's name—Polyvalo.

FARMERS' FEDERATION CALL FOR MORATORIUM

A moratorium on all arrears, or, alternatively, the finding of same, was called for at a meeting of the Irish Farmers' Federation held in Mullingar. Resolutions were adopted calling for the publication of the report of the Drainage Commission; protesting against the suspension of the sittings of the Agricultural Commission, and requesting the Government to take surplus oats at not less than £1 per barrel.

IRISH SPORTSMEN ABROAD.

If you have a relative or friend living abroad who is interested in Irish Racing, Bloodstock Breeding, Kennel Matters, Hunting, Coursing, Rugby, Hockey, Golf, etc., he will appreciate a copy of "THE IRISH FIELD," which will be sent each week to any address for one year for 13/-. Postage included. Half-year 6/6. Quarter 3/3. Head Office—11 D'Olier street, Dublin.

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EXCELLENT HORSE SECTION

BIG ENTRY AND GOOD EXHIBITS

FROM OUR REPORTER.

KILKENNY, Thursday.

THE fifty-first autumn show of the Kilkenny Agricultural Society, Ltd., held at St. James's Park, Kilkenny, to-day, showed a slight increase in the total entries, compared with last year, and the quality of the exhibits was good. There was a larger entry in the classes for horses and cattle than had been expected, and agricultural produce made an interesting display.

The honey, in the opinion of the judges, was a splendid collection, and the quality was superior. Horticulture also was an outstanding section.

The Thyestes Cup for the best four-year-old Half-bred to make a hunter.—Mathew Murphy, Loughboy, Kilkenny, with Herod's Pride.

Silver Challenge Cup for the best Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull (confined to farmers living in the County or City of Kilkenny).—Denis Kinsella, Dourmans, Mooncoin, with Promplestown Coshawk.

Special Prize for the best Pure-bred Hereford Calf born since January 1 of this year.—The Dowager Lady Annaly, Gowran Castle.

Special prize for half-bred Brood Mare likely to produce hunter.—P. J. Power, Thomastown—Ballyho; 2, John Hughes, Wallslough, Kilkenny—Rosh Lady; 3, Miss Ana Poe, Archersgrove, Kilkenny—Vanessa.

HORSES

Brood Mare, suitable to produce hunters.—1, John Hughes—Rosh Lady; 2, Mrs. Nora Tobin, Kells, Co. Kilkenny—Mollie; 3, G. G. Butler, Bennettsbridge—Rosie McCann.

Royal Dublin Society Premiums for suitable Mare (not thoroughbred) 7 years old or under likely to produce a high-class hunter.—Daniel Kiely, Piltown; John Wallace, Stoneyford; Matthew Murphy, Loughboy; John Walton, Cappagh, and Mrs. Nora Tobin.

Colt Foal and Filly Foal (progeny of mare which was awarded a premium last year).—1, Mrs. Nora Tobin; 2, John Wallace.

Foal at foot by thoroughbred sire.—1, Mrs. Nora Tobin; 2, Matthew Murphy's Playboy; 3, James Arthur Finnegan, Stoneyford.

Foal bred by exhibitor likely to make hunter.—1, Matthew Murphy; 2, James A. Finnegan; 3, P. J. Power, Thomastown.

Half-bred Yearling Colt, Gelding, or Filly likely to make a hunter.—1, P. P. Power; 2, Philip O'Mahony, Kells, Co. Tipperary; 3, John Wallace.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly likely to make hunter (farmers living in Co. Kilkenny).—1, Patrick Hughes, Johnstown; 2, Richard Holohan, Knocktopher; 3, P. J. Power.

Three-year-old Gelding or Filly likely to make hunter.—1, Patrick Morris, Callan; 2, Kevin Holohan, Fethard; 3, M. J. Delehanty, Keatingstown House, Kilkenny.

Three-year-old Gelding or Filly likely to make hunter (confined to farmers in Co. Kilkenny).—1, M. J. Delehanty; 2, Patrick Holohan, Bennettsbridge; 3, Patrick Leahy.

Irish Draught Mare, 3 years old and upwards.—1, Richard Barton, Ballybrophy—Irish Champion; 2, Thomas Walsh, Cuffesgrange—King O'Donnell; 3, John Hughes, Wallslough—Kilfero.

Irish Draught Mare, 3 years old and upwards.—1, John Hughes' Queen of Kildare; 2, John Sweeney, Gooldscross, Tipperary—Thora; 3, Peter Kivan, Kilmoganny—Lemonstown.

Four-year-old Hunter or Huntress, to be ridden (open).—1, Matthew Murphy's Herod's Pride; 2 Mrs. Nora Tobin's Troysgate; 3, Thomas Mahon, Bennettsbridge—Tony.

Special prize for best Four-year-old Half-bred Gelding or Filly likely to make a hunter, the property of a Kilkenny resident, and bred in the county.—1, Matthew Murphy's Herod's Pride.

Five-year-old and upwards Hunter, to carry 13st. and upwards.—1, Mrs. B. Marshall, Whitegate, Kilkenny; 2, Mrs. Nora Tobin's Star; 3, H. C. Hamilton, Durrow, Leix—King Simon.

Hack or Hunter Cob (open).—1, Frank Fitzgerald, Ballyragget; 2, Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald; 3, Mrs. M. Bates, Aut Vendant, Kilkenny.

Children's Pony.—1, Miss Claire Pilsworth, Thomastown; 2, John Bland, Portartington; 3, Miss Sheelagh Brown, Bagenalstown.

CATTLE

Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull, calved before January, 1939 (open).—1, Denis Kinsella, Mooncoin, Co. Kilkenny—Promplestown Goshawk; 2, Thomas E. Holmes, Rathlelty, Kilkenny — Dairy Raider; 3, Edward McEvoy, Dunmore Upper, Kilkenny—Carrig Masterpiece.

Non-Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Bull, calved on or after September 1, 1938.—1, Lady Wheeler Cuffe, Kilkenny—Rosa Prince.

Silver Challenge Cup, for Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull (confined to farmers in County or City of Kilkenny — Denis Kinsella, Dourmans, Mooncoin; 2, Thomas E. Holmes's Dairy Raider; 3, Edward McEvoy's Carrig Masterpiece.

Two-year and upwards Dairy Shorthorn Premium Bull.—1, Thomas E. Holmes's Dairy Raider; 2, S. A. Wilsdon, Lacken Lodge, Kilkenny—Roscrea Dairy Duke 6th; 3, John Dunne, Cuffesgrange—Ballykissain Eddie.

Pure-bred Bull Calf, born in 1940.—1, Denis Kinsella, Mooncoin; 2, David Burke, Carrick-on-Suir.

Non-Pedigree Bull Calf, born in 1940.—1, Presentation Convent, Mooncoin; 2, David Burke; 3, James Power, Carrick-on-Suir.

Bull Calf, born in 1940 (open).—1, Denis Kinsella; 2, Thomas E. Holmes; 3, James Power.

Pure-bred Hereford Bull, any age (open).—1, Dowager Lady Annaly, Gowran—Shucknall Oliver; 2, Dowager Lady Annaly's Gowran Cadet; 3, William Kearney, Waterford—Shring Courtier.

Pure-bred Hereford Cow (property of farmer resident in Co. Kilkenny).—1, James Quinn, Kilderry, Kilkenny; 2, Thomas E. Holmes; 3, William Meighan, Loughboy, Kilkenny.

Pure-bred Hereford Cow born since 1st January, 1940 (open).—1, Lady 3, Dowager Lady Annaly.

Licensed Non-pedigree Bull, any age (confined to farmers of county or city of Kilkenny).—1, Edward Campion.

One-year-old Heifer, Shorthorn type (confined to farmers of county of Kilkenny).—1, Presentation Convent, Mooncoin; 2, John Kinsella, Mooncoin; 3, Lady Wheeler Cuffe, Leyrath.

One-year-old Heifer, calved on or after January 1, 1939 (confined to farmers in city or county of Kilkenny).—1, Presentation Convent, Mooncoin; 2, Lady Wheeler Cuffe; 3, Denis Kinsella.

Two-year-old Heifer, Shorthorn type, born in 1938 (open).—1, John Kinsella; 2, David Burke's Killoney Lass; 3, Edward Campion's Champion Dairymaid 2nd.

Two-year-old Heifer, Shorthorn, calved on or after January 1, 1938 (confined to farmers living in county or city of Kilkenny).—1, David Burke; 2, Edward Campion; 3, Denis Kinsella.

Dairy Shorthorn Cow (confined to farmers in the county or city of Kilkenny).—1, Presentation Convent, Mooncoin; 2, Thomas McGrath, Bamford, Kilkenny; 3,

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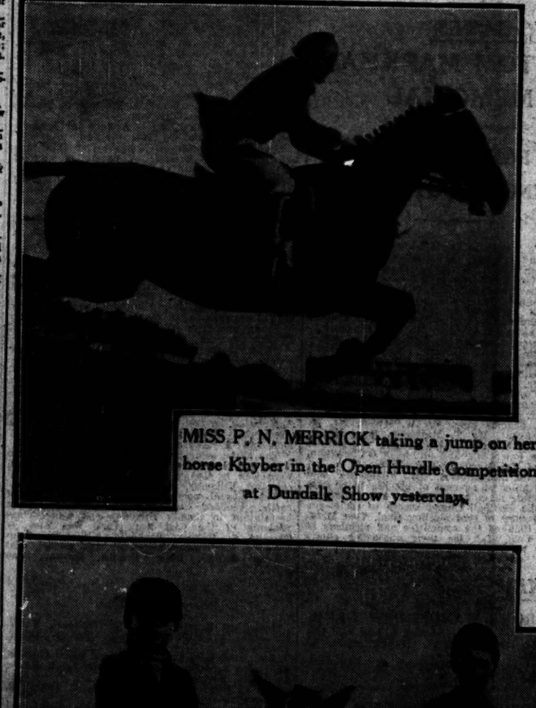
A.R.P. AT DUBLIN CASTLE

BESIDE DUBLIN CASTLE, where workmen are busily engaged on the construction of overground air raid shelters.

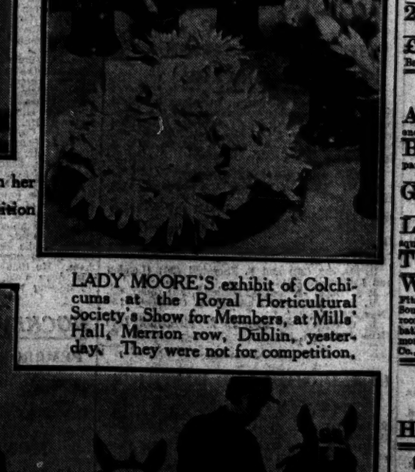
LADY TALBOT DE MALAHIDE (left) and Lady Adare at the Curragh races yesterday.

FINISH of the Railway Stakes at the Curragh yesterday.—Major E. M. Conolly's Milady Rose winning from Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Etoile de Lyons.

MR. B. McGUINNESS (left) and Major R. E. Barrow watching the parade at Dundalk Show yesterday.



MISS P. N. MERRICK taking a jump on her horse Khyber in the Open Hurdle Competition at Dundalk Show yesterday.



LADY MOORE'S exhibit of Colchicums at the Royal Horticultural Society's Show for Members, at Mills' Hall, Merrion row, Dublin, yesterday. They were not for competition.

AT KILKENNY SHOW YESTERDAY.—They are (from right to left): Miss Clare Pilsworth's Polly, Mr. John Bland's Snap the Bundle, and Miss Sheila Brown's Patchwork Quilt, first, second and third prize-winners, respectively, in the Children's Pony Class.

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PROFIT Rent of £121 9/8 out of Shop and Tenement Property in Lower Gardiner street and Railway street will be sold cheap for quick Sale. Particulars from Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents. 16 E

RE Hyde, Deceased.—3, 4 Primrose street, off Berkeley road; 5, 6 Castle terrace, Avondale avenue, Phibsborough, and 12 Lower Wellington street. Three Investment Lots for Auction, 24th. Particulars, Albert MacArthur, The Honest Auctioneer. 16 E

RATHMINES.—4 Castlewood avenue; 7 rooms, bathroom, h. and c., e.l., gas; garage: r.v. £5; valuation £26; seen after 4 o'clock. 19 F

SANDYCOVE.—Modern House, 5 rooms, gardens; convenient sea. Another, p.w-war, non-basement; 8 rooms, gardens; £900.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

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42 KENILWORTH Square, Rathgar.—Excellent House for Sale, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom and w.h.b., 2 w.c.s and 2 w.h.b.s, electric light, power, gas, garage for 3 cars, can be viewed after 6.30 p.m. 19 F

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LADY wishes to Let Part House; lower flat, 28 Seville road, Rathgar. 18 A

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UNFURNISHED, self contained Flat; 2 large rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, etc.; electric; reasonable rent, suitable tenant.—N 1364, this office. 18 A

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BIRTHS.

BANKS—September 10, 1940, Southern Rhodesia, to Mu Benjamin E. Banks, a son.

CHANCE—September 16, 19 Harcourt Nursing Home, to of Oliver Chance, The Observ knock, Co. Dublin, a daughte

FOSTER—September 2, 1940, at Oakley road, to Madge, w Foster, 79 Old County road, a

GLAVIN—September 13, 1940, Nursing Home, to Kathleen, w J. Glavin, Hanover House, Ca

RUDD—September 20, 1940, street, to Denise, wife of a daughter.

SYNNOTT—September 19, 1940, line Maternity Hospital, Scotl of Lieutenant-Commander Jas R.N., a son.

MARRIAGES.

BREEN and RYAN—August 3, Andrew's, Westland row, Henry Breen, 24 Castle Park, son of the late Michael Roch Castleknock, to Eleanor, dau late Patrick Ryan, of Lakelan

CHAMP and RICKERBY—Se 1940, at St. Mary's Church, Rev. C. W. Griffin, B.A., assis J. S. Phillips, B.D.; Willi Champ, of Abbeydorney, Co. May Torrens, only daughter Rickerby, "Oak-View," Tralee

DELANY and MURRAY—Aug at Holy Cross Church, Du Dublin (with Nuptial Mass), J. Fullen, P.P., Martinstown bride); Joseph A., son of Mrs. 13 Marlborough road, Donnybr and the late Mr. Joseph Delany Treas, daughter of Mrs. T. Mu late Mr. Charles Murray, Dundrum, Co. Dublin.

EVANSON and SHEPPARD—Se 1940, at St. John's Church, by Rev. Pat Sheppard (broth and Rev. Canon Dowse, Recto T. Evanson, son of late Mr. Eva borough, and Mrs. Evanso Rectory, to Phyllis M. D. Shep daughter of John A. Sheppard Kingstown.

FOOTT and LEDGER—Septembe at Holy Trinity Church, Portro Rev. J. C. Handley Vaughan Wade, elder son of the late W and Mrs. Richardson, Mount Dublin, to Kathleen Edna, daughter of the late T. P. Ledge Ledger, O'Connell street, Lime

GEOGHEGAN and MacHALE—1940, at Blackrock, by Rev. C.C.; Maurice, son of Thomas Mrs. Geoghegan, Ballsbridge, Aileen, daughter of the late D and Mrs. MacHale, Alma road, D

GRAY and GILBERT—August 2 St. George's Church, Dublin, Canon E. H. F. Campbell, Rect by Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs; Jo youngest son of Mr. John Gra late Mrs. Gray, 2 Crofton a Laoghaire, to Noelle, fourth d Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert, street, Dublin.

HARRIS and SEMPLE—August St. Philip's Church, Milltown, b W. H. Coulter, M.A., assisted b R. J. Williamson, B.A.; Richa elder son of the late Mr. and Harris, Moyfea, Dartry road, Amy Elizabeth, daughter of the and of Mrs. Semple, Clones, Co.

LEARY and COE—August 21, Monkstown Church, by Rev. M.A., D.S.O., assisted by Re Forde, M.A., Rector; William I son of the late James and M 44 Hannaville Park, Terenure, Alexandra, younger daughter o Mrs. A. E. Coe, Suncroft, Ne avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

McFERRAN and CONWAY—A 1940, at St. Patrick's Church, Rev. C. S. Collins, M.A.; Ian A. son of the late W. McFerran, Sandycove, and Phyllis V., elde of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Conway, avenue, West.

MANNING and O'ROURKE—Sep 1940, at St. James's, James's st Nuptial Mass), Patrick J., elde James and Elizabeth Man Pembroke road, Dublin, and younger daughter of the late R Eleanor O'Rourke, 6 St. C road, ham, Dublin. Rev. W. Lenn officiated.

MATTHEWS and DAVIS—Sept 1940, at Holy Trinity Church, R by the Rev. H. M. C. Hughes, a the Rev. Canon Tobias; George eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bridge House, Ballinagore, Westm Muriel Gwendoline, second daugh late James H. Davis and of Mr Ballinameesda, Wicklow.

MORAN and DOWNEY—September at the Church of Our Lady of Refug mines, Dublin (with Nuptial Mass Rev. Peter Maguire, C.C.; Desmon son of Mrs. Elizabeth Moran and Mr. John Moran, of Minnowbrook Terenure, Dublin, to Madeleine A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mountpleasant square, Ranelagh.

WALSHE and HOFFMAN—August at Clondalkin Parish Church, Reverend R. C. Madden, B.A. Richard, youngest son of Martha late James Walshe, 34 Celtic Park to Eileen Elizabeth, only da Frank and Anne Hoffman, Ballym Tralee.

SILVER WEDDING.

HAMLET and GRIFFIN—Septe 1915, at the Mariners' Church, K by the Rev. E. M. Griffin, B.D. the brids), assisted by the Re Jennings, M.A., Rector of Harol George T. Hamlet, Second Lieut Royal Dublin Fusiliers, second late T. W. Hamlet and Mrs Bremore, Balbriggan, to Elizabe eldest daughter of C. H. Griffin a Mrs. Griffin, 48 Brighton square Dublin. No cards.

DEATHS.

DOWNING—September 19, 1940 Daniel McCarthy Downing, of 6 Park, Dublin. Funeral to-day after 10 o'clock Mass, from the the Three Patrons, Rathgar, Grange.

FLETCHER—September 20, 194 residence, Gurtinar, Manorhamil James Fletcher. Deeply regrette to-morrow (Sunday) at 2 o'cloc

GAUSSEN—September 13, 1940, at Kingsley, Frodsham, Cheshir David Ash Gaussen, beloved h Letitia Frances Gaussen.

GETHIN—September 20, 1940, a more, Sligo, Harriet Georgina, the late Francis Read Gethin, lat doon. Funeral private.

LATIMFORD—September 20, 19 residence, 16 Gulistan terrace, Richard Albert, aged 77 years. arrangements later.

MacSWEENEY—September 20, Dublin nursing home, Domin dearly-beloved husband of Ad MacSweeney, Beech House, Dun Mass at 9 a.m. to-day (Sa University Church, St. Stephe Dublin. Funeral (private) aft Dean's Grange, R.I.P.

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